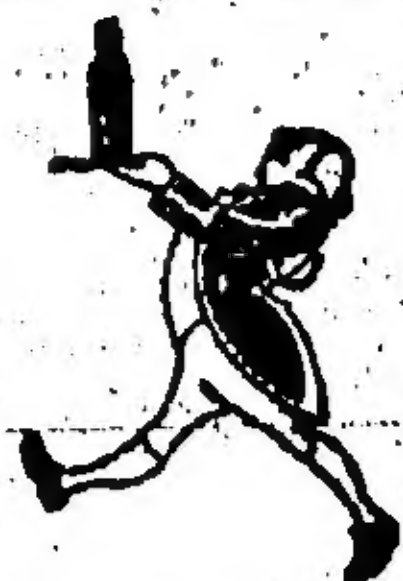


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Kowloon	8.40	8.05	8.20	8.35	8.50	9.05	9.20	9.35	9.50	10.05	10.20
Yanmat	8.45	8.10	8.25	8.40	8.55	9.10	9.25	9.40	9.55	10.10	10.25
Shatin	8.50	8.15	8.30	8.45	9.00	9.15	9.30	9.45	10.00	10.15	10.30
Taipei	8.55	8.20	8.35	8.50	9.05	9.20	9.35	9.50	10.05	10.20	10.35
Taipei Market	9.00	8.25	8.40	8.55	9.10	9.25	9.40	9.55	10.10	10.25	10.40
Fanning	9.05	8.30	8.45	9.00	9.15	9.30	9.45	10.00	10.15	10.30	10.45
Shumshu	9.10	8.35	8.50	9.05	9.20	9.35	9.50	10.05	10.20	10.35	10.50
Shumshu	9.15	8.40	8.55	9.10	9.25	9.40	9.55	10.10	10.25	10.40	10.55
Canton	9.20	8.45	9.00	9.15	9.30	9.45	10.00	10.15	10.30	10.45	11.00

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Canton	7.15	7.30	7.45	7.60	7.75	7.90	8.05	8.20	8.35	8.50	9.05
Shumshu	7.20	7.35	7.50	8.05	8.20	8.35	8.50	8.65	8.80	8.95	9.10
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Fanning	7.30	7.45	7.60	8.15	8.30	8.45	8.60	8.75	8.90	9.05	9.20
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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS.

TODAY

(September 26).

25th day of Jemadi-al-awal.
King of Denmark born, 1870.
Lammert's Auction, 4, Carnarvon Buildings, Kowloon, 10.30 a.m.
Hong Kong Fencing Club meeting, 5.15 p.m.
Badminton Club Meet at Sailors' and Soldiers' Home.
Lecture by Dr. C. M. Hasselmann, M.D., D.T.M. & H. to Hong Kong University Medical Society, 5.15 p.m.
Whist and Bridge Drive—St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, 9 p.m.

Theatres

King's: "Devil's Lottery."
Queen's: "Tarzan the Ape-man."
Star: "Oh Sailor Behave."
Central: "Around the World in 80 Minutes."
Taiping: "High Treason."
Oriental: "All Quiet on the Western Front."
Garden: "The Show Boat."

Tea Dance at King's Restaurant.
Dinner Dances at Peninsula and Hong Kong Hotels.
Sunrise: 6.13 a.m.; Sunset: 6.16 p.m.
Tides:—High at 4.50 and 30.48; Low at 13.00.

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Outward:—U.S.A., Canada, S. America and Europe via San Francisco: President Coolidge, 10.30 a.m.

TUESDAY

(September 27).

Birthday of Confucius (Sheng-tan-chieh).
26th day of Jemadi-al-awal.
Lammert's Auction at 122, Prince Edward Road, Kowloon, 10.30 a.m.
Lammert's Auction, 1 p.m.
Rotary Club Tiffin.
Fellowship Meeting at Sailors' & Soldiers' Home, 8 p.m.

Theatres

King's: "Devil's Lottery."
Queen's: "Splinters in the Navy."
Central: "Around the World in 80 Minutes."
Star: "White Shadows."
Oriental: "All Quiet on the Western Front."
Taiping: "High Treason."
Garden: "The Show Boat."

Tea Dance at King's Restaurant.
Dinner Dances at Hong Kong and Peninsula Hotels and King's Restaurant.
Tides:—High at 6.24 and 30.48; Low at 13.40.

Principal Mails

Outward:—Europe via Siberia, Ande Lebon, 2 p.m. Saigon-Marseilles Air Mail Service on Athos II, at 1 p.m. Europe via Marseilles, Athos II at 2.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

(September 28).

27th day of Jemadi-al-awal.
Annual Meeting of Shareholders of H.K. Amusement, Ltd., at Queen's Theatre, noon.
Auction:—China Auction Rooms, 3 p.m.
Sale of Stamps, Lammert's Auction Rooms, 5.15 p.m.
Wing On Co.'s 25th Anniversary Celebrations.
Meeting of Kwang Tung Bible Union, 5.30 p.m.

Principal Mails

King's: "Devil's Lottery."
Queen's: "Splinters in the Navy."
Central: "Night Work."
Star: "White Shadows in the South Seas."
Oriental: "All Quiet on the Western Front."
Taiping: "High Treason."

Tea Dance at King's Restaurant.
Dinner Dances at Hong Kong Hotel and King's Restaurant.
Tides:—High at 7.56 and 30.56; Low at 1.00 and 14.14.

SOVIET OIL FOR JAPAN.

BUSINESSMEN ON VISIT TO MOSCOW.

CONTRACT FOR FUEL FOR NAVY.

Berlin, Sept. 13.—A group of prominent Japanese business men are now en route to Moscow, for the purpose of negotiating a big petroleum contract with the Soviet Naptha Syndicate, it was learned today.

The main objective of the proposed agreement with the Soviet oil authorities is said to be the establishment of an understanding which will make the Japanese navy entirely independent of United States oil supplies.

Apparently every effort has been made to keep secret the visit of the Japanese to Moscow, for information regarding the trip leaked out only today, although the Japanese have now been on the way for some weeks.

Disclosure of the Japanese plans has created a sensation, here, foreign military attaché attached to embassies and legations at Berlin considering its implications of the highest importance from a military and naval standpoint, as well as commercially.

A certain foreign government, it is learned, has instructed its representatives at Moscow to keep the closest watch upon developments.

It has been an open secret, that the growth of tension between Japan and the United States during the events in Manchuria and Shanghai has increased the Japanese Navy's urgent desire to emancipate itself from reliance upon the oil resources of America and to substitute Soviet Russia as the purveyor of fuel oil to the Japanese fleet, but that direct negotiations already had been opened had not been suspected.

The delicate situation recently existing between Japan and Soviet Russia, which hitherto prevented such a bargain, now eased considerably, making possible the conclusion of a Russo-Japanese oil agreement.

NAVAL OFFICER INVOLVED.

INQUIRY INTO TRAGEDY
AT CYPRUS.

London, Sept. 17.—A stir has been created in naval circles by a report issued today by the Admiralty in connection with the death of an inhabitant of Limasol, Cyprus, allegedly as the result of a blow from a British officer during the visit of a section of the Mediterranean Fleet.

The report states that the commander at Limasol has been investigating the death of the man, who is alleged to have succumbed after having received a blow from Commander Sutton of H.M.S. Resource.

Commander Sutton has hitherto not given evidence, as his ship is stationed at Alexandria. He is now aboard H.M.S. Coventry, where he is available to give evidence in any subsequent proceedings.

Press messages describe the dead man as an hotel proprietor.

MALAY REGIMENT TO BE FORMED.

TRIAL COMPANY FROM
JAN. 1, 1932.

Kuala Lumpur, Sept. 13.—At the Federal Council meeting here this morning, Mr. Andrew Caldecott, acting Chief Secretary, announced that the Colonial Office and the War Office had approved in principle the formation of a Malay Regiment.

The words, "in principle" were important, Mr. Caldecott said, because before concrete approval could be given to the substitution of a Malay Regiment for Indian troops which these States had contracted to maintain under the Treaty of Federation, it would have to be proved that a Malay Regiment would be of equal military value.

"Those of us who know the Malay as a policeman and a volunteer," Mr. Caldecott continued, "we no misgivings as to the outcome of that test, but in order that it may be applied as early as possible it has been decided to inaugurate an experimental company of the Regiment as from Jan. 1 of next year."

"Special expenditure this year has already been provisionally approved and will amount to approximately \$75,000. The annual cost of the company is estimated at \$100,000. It may at first sight appear anomalous that at a time when the finances of the Federation demand all-round retrenchment we should be embarking on this additional expenditure. The reasons for this are threefold."

"Firstly, we have no guarantee of the permanence of the arrangement whereby India lends us the means of complying with our Treaty obligations."

"Secondly, this arrangement is a very costly one. It costs us roughly £100,000 a year whereas a Malay Regiment would cost only 25 to 40 per cent. of that amount, and the money would not, as it does now, leave Malay."

"Lastly, there is the political consideration that the opportunity of fitting and training themselves for the defence of their country could not be any longer withheld from the Malay race without causing grave, disappointment to the Rulers and their subjects."

"I feel sure the Council will welcome the Secretary of State's approval in principle of the formation of this Regiment," added Mr. Caldecott, "and will wish the experimental company about to be inaugurated all success."

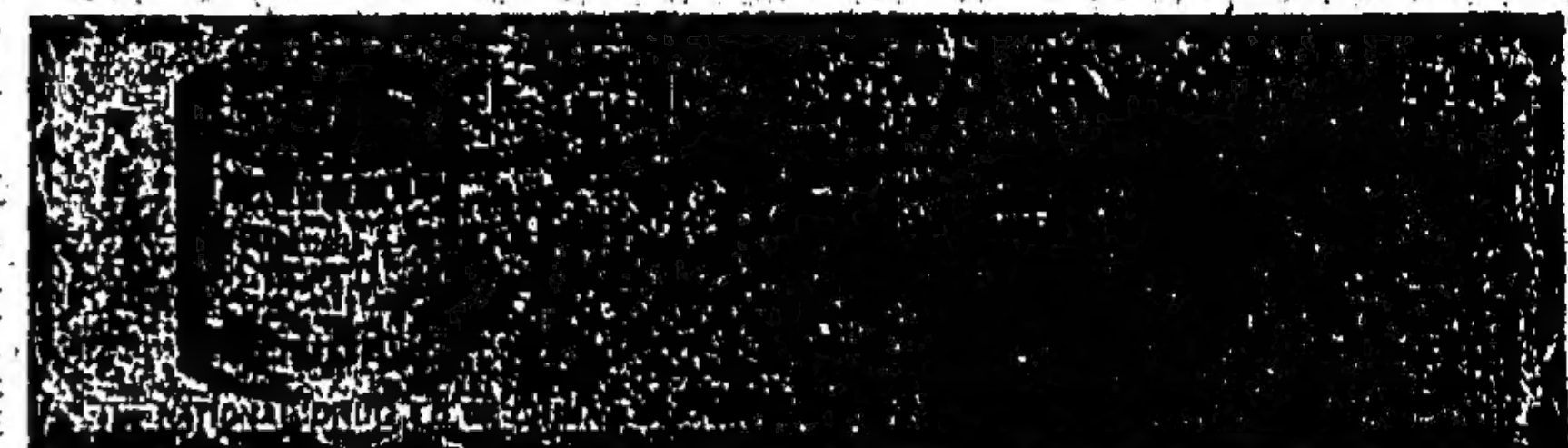
SOVIET ENVOY IN LONDON.

RUMOURS OF RECALL.

Paris, Sept. 17.—The recall of the Soviet Ambassador to London, Grigory Sokolnikoff, in order to take in hand a reform of the Soviet currency was reported imminent in today's *Petit Parisien* on the basis of the paper claims, authoritative information from its Moscow correspondent.

It will be recalled that M. Sokolnikoff, who was appointed to London in December 1929, played an important part in the rehabilitation of the gold basis of the Chevroneux currency.

Since this time foreign payments have been made in foreign currencies or, in case of need, in gold. The Chevroneux—therefore was merely an internal currency but has of late depreciated so rapidly that its abolition and replacement by a new currency has become advisable in order to put an end to the rise of the cost of living.



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HOME FOOTBALL

ENGLISH AND SCOTTISH LEAGUE RESULTS

[THROUGH AGENCIES.]

LONDON, Sept. 24.

English and Scottish league matches played on Saturday resulted as follows:—

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

Division I.

Arsenal	2	Everton	1
Birmingham	3	Blackburn	1
Chelsea	0	Newcastle	1
Huddersfield	3	Wolves	2
Leicester	1	Middlesbrough	1
Liverpool	0	Bolton	1
Manchester C.	3	Blackpool	1
Portsmouth	2	Aston Villa	4
Wednesday	3	Sheffield U.	3
Sunderland	0	Derby	2
W. Bromwich	0	Leeds	1

Division II.

Bradford	2	Notts Forest	1
Burnley	0	Charlton	1
Bury	2	Lincoln	2
Grimsby	5	Tottenham	2
Millwall	2	Fulham	1
Notts County	2	Bradford C.	0
Oldham	1	Manchester U.	1
Port Vale	1	Chesterfield	1
Preston N.E.	1	Stoke	3
Southampton	4	West Ham	3
Swansea	0	Plymouth	1

Division III (South)

Aldershot	3	Cardiff	0
Bournemouth	2	Coventry	1
Brighton	1	Norwich	1
Bristol R.	1	Reading	0
Clapton O.	2	Northampton	2
Exeter	1	Crystal Pal.	1
Luton	2	Torquay	1
Newport	1	Brentford	0
Queen's P.R.	2	Watford	1
Southend	2	Gillingham	2
Swindon	1	Bristol C.	4

Division III (North)

Accrington	3	Carlisle	1
Darlington	1	Barnsley	1
Doncaster	1	Hull	1
Gateshead	5	Halifax	0
Mansfield	4	Crowe	0
New Brighton	1	Barrow	2
Rotherham	1	York	0
Southport	3	Rochdale	0
Stockport	3	Hartlepool	2
Walsall	3	Tranmere	2
Wrexham	1	Chester	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Division I.

Airdrie	1	Queen's Park	1
Ayr	3	Clyde	1
Celtic	0	Kilmarnock	0
Cowdenbeath	2	Rangers	3
Dundee	2	Falkirk	0
East Stirling	1	Hamilton	5
Motherwell	7	Morton	0
Partick	1	Aberdeen	2
St. Mirren	2	St. Johnstone	0
Third Lanark	2	Hearts	1

LEAGUE TABLES.

Division I.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Aston Villa	7	5	2	0	12
Arsenal	7	5	1	1	11
Portsmouth	7	4	2	1	10
West Bromwich	7	4	2	1	10
Newcastle	6	4	2	0	10
Derby	7	4	2	1	10
Huddersfield	7	4	1	2	9
Leeds	7	3	2	2	8
Bolton	7	3	1	3	7
Birmingham	7	3	1	3	7
Chelsea	7	2	2	3	6
Everton	7	4	0	4	6
Liverpool	7	2	2	3	6
Wednesday	7	2	2	3	6
Sunderland	7	2	1	4	5
Leicester	7	1	3	3	5
Sheffield U.	7	1	3	3	5
Blackburn	7	0	5	2	5
Blackpool	7	2	0	5	4
Manchester C.	7	2	0	5	4
Wolves	7	1	1	5	3
Middlesbrough	6	1	1	4	3

Division II.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Bradford C.	7	6	1	0	13
Plymouth	7	5	1	1	11
Stoke C.	7	5	1	1	11
Port Vale	7	4	2	1	10
Millwall	7	4	1	2	9
Southampton	7	4	1	2	9
Oldham	7	3	2	2	8
Burnley	7	2	3	2	7
Swansea	7	3	1	3	7
Bury	6	3	1	2	7
Fulham	6	2	2	3	6
Preston	7	3	0	4	6
Lincoln	7	2	2	3	6
Grimsby	7	2	2	3	6
Tottenham	7	2	1	4	5
Notts F.	7	1	3	3	5
Manchester U.	7	1	3	3	5
Notts C.	6	1	3	2	5

(Continued on next column.)

RUGGER IN HONG KONG.

PROSPECTS OF THE SEASON.

Rugby football is never likely to make the popular enjoyed by "soccer," but the game is making steady progress in the Colony.

The Hong Kong Rugby Club is looking forward to a successful season, and new talent of a high order is likely to be available. J. A. R. Sellars is again captain and D. McLellan vice-captain. Recruits include A. F. Hall-Thomson, who has played for Blackheath and R. O. F. King, who has played for London Scottish. Both these players have represented all-Japan.

The Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank have among their new-comers that very fine forward I. H. Bradford who captained the Combined Banks in London, and a group of experienced players include two forwards who will more than "push their weight" in the scrum. These additions should enable the Club to field a well-balanced side.

The Fixtures.

An interport with Shanghai, at Shanghai has been arranged and the full fixture list is as follows:

Oct. 20 v. Army (h).
Nov. 5 v. Navy (h).
12 v. Army (a).
19 v. Navy (h).
26 v. Navy (h).
Dec. 3 v. Army (a).
10 v. Navy (h).
17 v. Navy (h).
24 v. Combined Services (a).
31 v. Navy (h).
Jan. 7 v. Army (h).
14 v. Navy (a).

Chinese New Year's Shanghai in Shanghai.

Indicates Triangular Tournament games, while (h) denotes matches to be played at the Valley and (a) those at Sookunpoo.

There is also to be a seven-a-side tournament towards the end of the year.

The first game has been a seven-a-side match at King's Park on Saturday when Kowloon won a scrappy game by three points to nil.

Bradford	7	2	0	5	4
Charlton	7	1	2	4	4
Chesterfield	6	0	3	3	3
West Ham	7	1	1	4	3

Division III (South).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Brentford	7	7	0	0	14
Crystal P.	7	5	1	0	11
Reading	7	4	2	1	10
Luton	7	4	1	2	9
Bristol C.	7	3	3	1	9
Bournemouth	7	3	3	1	9
Northampton	7	3	2	2	8
Brighton	7	3	2	2	8
Aldershot	7	3	2	2	8
Clapton	7	1	5	1	7
Norwich	7	2	3	2	7
Exeter	7	3	1	3	7
Queen's P.R.	7	3	1	3	7
Bristol R.	7	3	1	3	7
Cardiff	7	3	0	4	6
Southend	7	1	3	4	5
Swindon	7	2	1	4	5
Coventry	7	2	1	4	5
Gillingham	7	2	1	4	5
Torquay	7	1	2	4	4
Watford	7	1	2	4	4
Newport	8	0	1	7	1

Division III (North).

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Chester	9	5	2	2	12
Crowe	7	5	0	2	10
Gateshead	7	4	2	1	10
Southport	7	4	2	1	10
Stockport	8	3	4	1	10
Accrington	7	4	1	2	9
Hull	7	2	2	3	8
Barrow	7	3	3	1	8
Walsall	8	4	0	4	8
Mansfield	7	4	0	3	8
Wrexham	7	3	1	3	7
Halifax	7	3	1	3	7
Barnsley	7	3	1	3	7
Rotherham	7	3	1	3	7
Hartlepool	7	2	2	3	6
Carlisle	7	2	2	3	6
Doncaster	7	1	4	2	6
New Brighton	7	2	1	4	5
Rochdale	7	1	3	3	5
Tranmere	7	1	2	4	4
York	7	1	1	5	3
Darlington	7	0	2	5	2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.
Rangers	10	7	2	1	16
Motherwell	9	6	3	0	15
Celtic	11	3	4	2	14
St. Mirren	9	7	0	2	14
Hearts	9	6	1	2	13
Hamilton	9	6	1	2	13
St. Johnstone	9	4	3	2	11
Aberdeen	9	5	1	3	11
Ayr U.	9	6	0	4	10
Queen's Park	9	3	3	3	9
Third Lanark	10	4	1	5	9
Cowdenbeath	9	3	2	4	8
Kilmarnock	9	3	2	4	8
Clyde	9	3	1	5	7
Morton	9	2	2	5	6
Airdrie	8	2	1	5	5
Dundee	8	2	1	5	5
Falkirk	9	0	2	7	2
East Stirling	9	1	1	7	3
Partick	8	1	0	7	2

THE BOWLS INTERPORT.

HONG KONG'S VICTORY AT 21ST END.

SENSATIONAL SHOT BY OMAR.

Shanghai, Sept. 20.—By a brilliant exhibition of bowling, U. M. Omar, the Hong Kong skip, sensationally won the second Interport Lawn Bowls match and series by one shot on the last end, 21-20, against Shanghai yesterday afternoon on the Yangtzepoo Bowling Club's green in Wayside Park, says the N.C. Daily News.

The green was in splendid condition and very true but as the players were rolling east and west the strong sun in their eyes bothered them a bit. The large crowd present witnessed probably the finest game ever played in Shanghai and excitement ran high especially in the last three ends of the match, after which Omar was loudly cheered for his magnificent win.

As in the first Interport match, Hong Kong won the second by one shot on the last end, also the series through the brilliant bowling of their skip, U. M. Omar. He played wonderful bowls in both matches and his driving was exceptionally deadly, especially yesterday. As a skip he showed a fine knowledge of the game, handled his men well and as soon as they had the shot or shots, lay down guards. Shanghai on the other hand left their ends too open which was mainly responsible for their losing the match.

Hong Kong took into the lead and for the first three quarters of the match outplayed Shanghai. At the 14th end Shanghai's chance looked hopeless with the score standing at 18-6 against them and not having scored for seven ends but they pulled themselves together and their luck changed as the 15th. They took the next five ends with a single, two fours, a three and a two, which brought them into the lead at the 19th, with the score at 20-19. Hong Kong evoked matters on the 20th by getting two shots and with a single on the last end, as the result of a brilliant drive by Omar, won the match by the odd shot, 21-20. They have thus avenged last year's defeat and will carry the ashes back to Hong Kong.

Burnt End.

Shanghai won the toss and lay a medium length jack. Raitt carried the jack for the shot but Omar came up with a fast one and burnt the end, which necessitated it being played over again.

Glover laid a short end, got a touch with first and was through with his second. Nicholl was through, Stormes was short with his first, a foot and through with his second. Bradbury drew the shot with first and went wide with second; Raitt was a foot through with his first and got a wick for the shot with his second. Brown missed, Dunlop a yard through with first and six inches short with second. Omar's first was through and he missed with his second, Shanghai getting a single.

Hong Kong replied with a single on the next, Shanghai taking the 3rd, with a two Hong Kong got a two on the 4th, a single on the 5th and then a great four at the 6th with Nichol, Bradbury and Brown's shots. Shanghai lay two at the 7th when Dunlop with a lucky shot wicked off to lay three with his second wood. Hong Kong, for the next seven ends had matters all their own way and scored five singles, a three and a two bringing the score to 18-6 in their favour at the 14th end, and matters looked desperate for Shanghai.

Shanghai Luck Changes.

A very close measure at the 15th for the shot, went to Shanghai by the merest fraction of an inch and this seemed to change their luck. They took the next five ends with a single, two fours, a three and a two, taking the lead at the 19th by 20-18, and excitement ran high. At the 20th Brown with a lucky fast shot lay four for Hong Kong, Dunlop saved two, Omar lay down two guards, narrow Hong Kong tying the score 20 all.

LOCAL FOOTBALL.

S.C.A.A. BEAT ARGYLL AND SUTHERLANDS.

South China Athletic Association had no difficulty in defeating the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders by four goals to one, in a "friendly" match at Sookunpoo.

During the first half the Chinese side had the soldiers very much on the defensive. The latter played a vigorous game but the S.C.A.A. players were faster and nester.

Fung King Cheung, who led the Chinese on their recent tour in Java, scored the first goal, Lee Wai Tong adding the second and third, the latter one being a penalty goal. Cheung Siu Hong netted the fourth goal, and M. Tavish, who played well for the Argylls, found the net with a well-placed shot during the final stages of the match.

A curious incident occurred when the S.C.A.A. goal was scored, half the players on the field being under the impression that the whistle had blown.

Actually the ball was in play, and they had evidently been misled by the referee's whistle from a hockey match in progress not far away.

The teams were as follow:—Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, 1st Team:—Hostie, Gordon, Docherty, Maginahan, Hay, Yoo-

man; Hughes, McTavish, Wyllie, Lamont and Campbell. Goal scored, McTavish.

S.C.A.A.:—Tang Siu Hung; Lee Tin Sang, Tan Kong Pak; Chan Yuk Shu, Wong Mei Shun, Tong Kwan; Chung Sui Hong, Leung Tat Wing, Fung King Cheung, Lee Wai Tong and Ip Pak Wah. Goal scorers: Fung King Cheung, Leung Tat Wing and Lee Wai Tong (9).

Referee, Bombardier Brown, R.A.

THE RESERVES.

The match between the Reserve team of the A. and S.H. and the S.C.A.A. played on the same ground earlier in the afternoon resulted in a draw of 2-2.

Pau Ka Ping, the former well-known goalkeeper for the senior team, played centre-forward for the second string. He and Yeung Sui Yick netted for the Chinese, Maxwell and King scoring for the Argylls.

WIN FOR H.K.F.C.

At Happy Valley ground, the Hong Kong Club senior team defeated the St. Joseph's Club 1st XI by the odd goal in seven in a friendly match. The junior teams of these two Clubs also met, St. Joseph's Club emerging victors by four goals to three in an interesting match.



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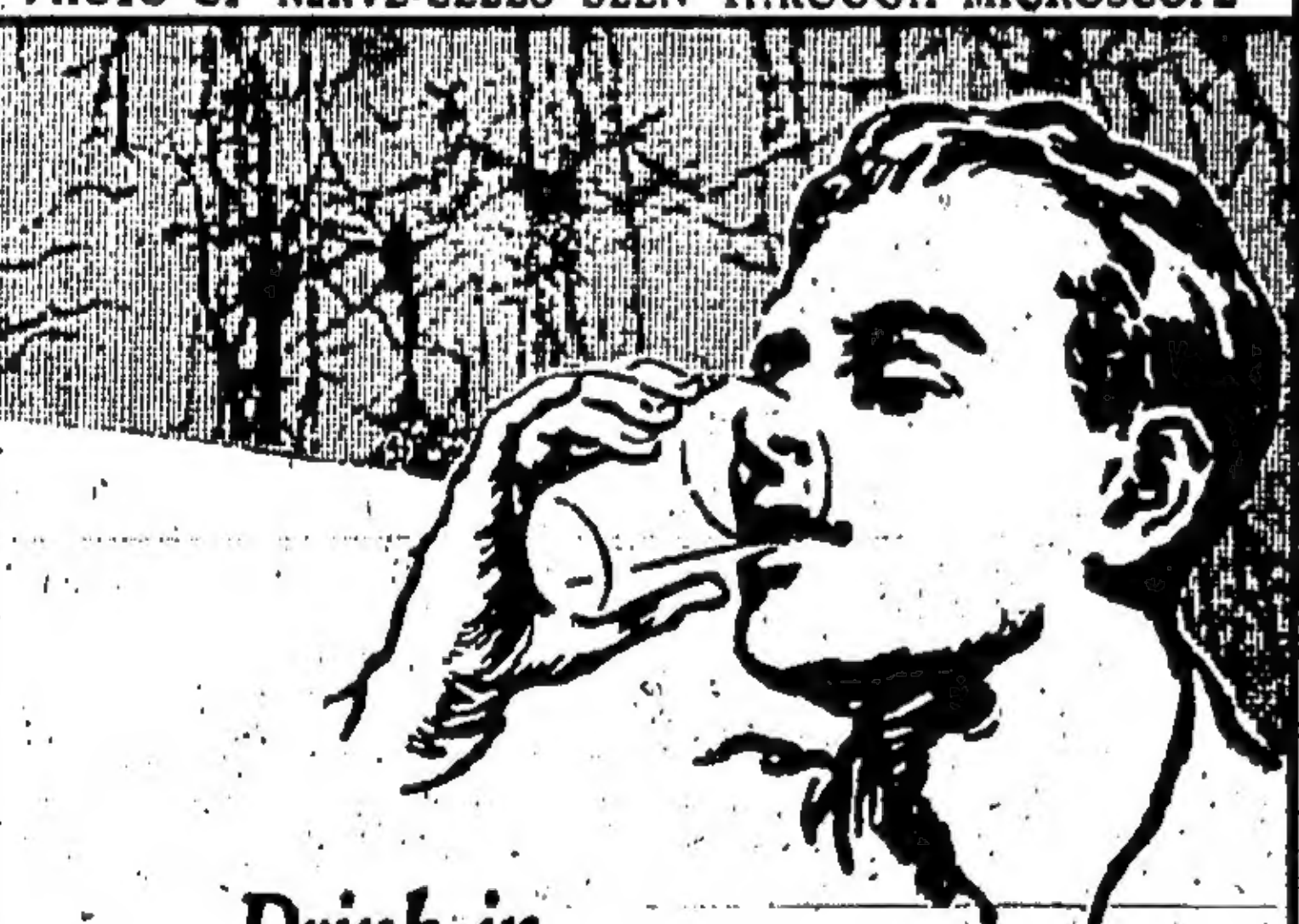
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KONG STOCK MARKET.

**JAPAN'S BANK DEPOSITS
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ON BANGKOK:—	
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PER SILVER, PER GRAM.....	1/17 1/2

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ENGINEERING

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 24.
BRITAIN and Denmark expect great results from the British Exhibition organised by the Danish Government and opened this morning with speeches by Premier Stauning, the British Minister, Major Colville, and the Prince of Wales.

Mr. Stauning extolled British engineering, which applied Denmark with her first steamship, most of her railways, aeroplanes, gasworks and electricity plants. Major Colville congratulated the Danish Government on its notable contribution to the development of Anglo-Danish trade.

The Prince of Wales, in formally opening the Exhibition, expressed his gratitude at the friendly spirit and purely Danish initiative which produced one of the most representative exhibitions of British production ever held on the Continent of Europe.

PRINCE BUSY IN
DENMARKGOLF AND OFFICIAL
DINNER.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 23.
THE Prince of Wales, who will tomorrow perform the opening ceremony at the British Trade Exhibition in Copenhagen, played a round of golf this afternoon on a course near the capital.

To-night he attended a banquet given by the British Legation, at which members of the Danish Royal Family and Cabinet Ministers were also present.

DISARMAMENT
QUESTIONSIR JOHN SIMON CONFERS
WITH VON NEURATH

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

GENEVA, Sept. 24.
Foreign Minister, conferred alone with the German Foreign Minister, Baron von Neurath, for two hours yesterday, presumably on the British disarmament statement of Sunday last, which is the principal bone of contention.

Von Neurath is remaining in Geneva till Wednesday, and will probably see Mr. Herriot before he leaves.

FLIGHT ACROSS
PACIFICJAPANESE AIRMEN
TAKE OFF

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, Sept. 24.
THE Hachi Trans-Pacific plane, manned by Pilot Baba, Navigator Homma and a radio operator named Inohita, hopped off to-day from Sanuashiro.

The start was made at 5.35 a.m. and the airmen hope to cross the Pacific to San Francisco by the northern route in three hops.

'BUS DISPUTE
SETTLEMENTAGREEMENT SIGNED
IN LONDON

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

REUTER, Sept. 23.
REPRESENTATIVES of the Underground group and officials

REVIEW OF LOWER
DECK GRIEVANCESADMIRALTY ANNOUNCE
IMPORTANT CHANGE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 24.
IMPORTANT changes affecting the methods by which lower deck men in the Navy may make representations regarding their grievances and hardships are announced by the Admiralty.

Under the new arrangement the Admiralty propose from time to time to hold a review of lower deck matters, which will replace the present system of welfare conferences. All the men will be entitled to make representations to the divisional officer. The presentations will then be considered by the Captain, assisted by the other officers, and will be forwarded to the Commander-in-Chief, who will appoint a Fleet Committee to consider the collated representations.

It is contemplated that the first review will be ordered at about the end of 1935.

BROOKLANDS

TRAGEDY

DRIVER OF BENTLEY
KILLED IN CRASH

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Sept. 24.
IN the 500-mile motor race on the Brooklands track to-day, a Bentley, owned by the famous millionaire speed ace, Captain Woolf Barnato, crashed.

The driver, M. Dunfee, was killed. of the men's Union to-day signed an agreement embodying the terms of settlement of the London omnibus dispute.

BOMB THROWN IN
SHANGHAI.UNKNOWN CHINESE
FOLLOWS UP THREAT.SHOW CASES SPOILT BUT
NO CASUALTIES.

Shanghai, Sept. 17.—An unknown Chinese yesterday at 1.10 p.m., threw a bomb into the premises at 485 Nanking Road, near Fokien Road. The missile was tossed into a showcase, and the effect of the flying fragments was mitigated and no one was injured. It is stated that the proprietor of the shop had received a warning letter several days ago and had taken precautions to remove the Japanese goods in his possession from public view. They had been stored in upstairs rooms. In spite of these actions a representative of the "Extremist Group" put in an appearance and hurled the bomb.

According to official reports, the Chinese entered the shop shortly after 1 p.m. He brushed shop assistants aside and several customers as well. Standing in front of the case, he calmly took the Chinese bomb from his clothing, pulled the pin, and with several seconds to spare, tossed it at his objective. Then, almost as calmly, he brushed those present to one side and left. No one made any effort to hinder him leaving.

The explosion broke several case windows and a small one on the main frontage. Louza police station was informed and detectives in charge of Insp. C. White attended, but to date they have found no persons who may have had connection with the matter.

HEALTH OF EASTERN
PORTS.

FOR WEEK ENDING SEPT. 17.

Plague.	Cases.	Deaths.
Bombay	3	3
Colombo	2	1
Cholera.		
Cebu	17	5
Phnom-Penh	1	1
Saigon	1	2
Amoy	31	10
Canton	1	2
Nanking	13	1
Shanghai	47	6
Small-pox.		
Alexandria	1	1
Basrah	1	1
Bombay	5	4
Calcutta	9	1
Madras	6	1
Pondicherry	3	3
Saigon	1	2
Typhus.		
Port Said	1	1

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Registered Articles.
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Unpaid Correspondence.
Miss Jane Baptiste, Rev. S. Camerman, Mons. Iphate (Diethelm & Co.), Muller (Maclean Co.).
The undermentioned undeliverable registered articles are lying in the Returned Letter Office, General Post Office, and will be returned to the senders on production of the certificate of posting.
Hong Kong 1304, 7.2.32 to Shanghai; Hong Kong 6554, 6.4.32 to Shanghai; Hong Kong 1816, 10.3.32 to Shanghai; Shenzhouan, 20070, 12.11.31 to Oakland, Calif.; Wanchai, 506, 4.4.32 to Shanghai; Wanchai, 131, 30.1.32 to Foochow; Hong Kong, 921c, 6.4.32 to Manila, P.I.
(Continued on next column.)

Y.M.C.A. BEATEN 3-2.

SCRAPPY GAME AT KING'S
PARK.

At King's Park on Saturday, the R.A.M.C. team beat Y.M.C.A. "A" eleven by 3 goals to 2. The game was rather scrappy, and at half-time the Medical Corps held a 2-1 lead. On resuming, the "Y" team pressed strongly and were successful in scoring another goal, at the same time keeping their opponent's score down to 2. Both goals scored for the Y.M.C.A. were hit by Summers.

The following were the teams:—Y.M.C.A. "A" Team:—V. M. Benwell; W. H. Stonell, E. O. Murphy (Captain); G. A. Nicholas, G. H. Owen, S. A. Sweet; L. W. Macey, R. Dörner, H. Sommers, R. Baldwin and G. Ellis.
R.A.M.C.:—Pte. Davis; Sgt. Major Kirtou-Vaughan, Cpl. Beare; Cpl. Smith, Cpl. Timms, Cpl. Knight; Sgt. Farley, Major Anderson, Cpl. Davis, Sgt. Patterson and Pte. Elton.

Hong Kong, 1034, 7.3.32 to Trinidad. Unclaimed Radio Telegrams.
Tenpekioe, of Liyuen I. Peak, from Tobingtingideli; Mrs. Brotherton Barker, Barker Road, from s.s. Hosang, V.P.C.B.; Jimle, from Macao; Namken, Chonglan Street, from Bangkok Sub.; 0023 3883 3037 1344 5801 0735, from Nanning; Samyick, second floor, Siusanglong, Yunnan, Shanghai Street, from Amoy; Gledy, Winglock 9, from Harbin; 2489 0037 0003 4105 6071 5894, from Amoy; Mrs. Younghook, 14 San Francisco, from s.s. Pres. Jefferson.

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Ooi Leong Teik, Penang.

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THE CHILDREN'S
CORNER

BY

UNCLE JACK

OVER THE SIDE.

In all sorts of odd spots in and about the lagoons and coral lanes of the northern end of the Great Barrier Reef—that tremendous spread of coral which for hundreds upon hundreds of miles lies up along the northeast coast of Australia—and then goes on to New Guinea—you will find anchored, or maybe drifting slowly down a tide, smart, sea-going sailing cutters which, if you went on board, you would probably find deserted. They are beche-de-mer vessels, and their crews are down over the side, "swim-diving" for the beche-de-mer, sea-slugs, which, smoke-dried, have a ready market as a table delicacy, particularly in China.

They are Torres Islanders mostly these crews who live as much in the water as on their vessels—dark-skinned and remarkably well built, and their only diving appliances are water-tight goggles, in appearance something like the goggles of a motorist.

"Swim-Divers" of Many Lands.

I have seen native "swim-divers"—that is divers who use no diving dress—of many lands, but never ones like these. The native boys of Colombo, for example, dive beautiful for pennies thrown into the water—but they merely go down and immediately come up. These Torres Island beche-de-mer men go down and stay down. They wander about the bottom. In the clear water you may see them—dark shapes moving among the coral boulders with an odd grace. Now and again the water so distorts them that they look like some new species of marine creature.

They seem a long way down, and often they really are so—seven, eight, 10 fathoms, great depths for "swim-divers" to work in. It is astonishing how they can hold their breath so long. I do not recall ever having timed them, but I do know they can stay down so long that it seems as if they would never come up again.

But they come up at last, and one is surprised to see how easily they are breathing; despite the long immersion there is not a sign of puffing or blowing. These men seem to have a power of underwater endurance all their own.

They get a deal of fun out of their work. As a man pokes his head up over the surface, he

(Continued at foot of next column.)

HIDDEN COUNTRIES
PUZZLE.

Betty came IN to Aid Jane with her lessons.
After you finish reading the book, please LAY IT on the table.

In exploring the woods WE found two bears DENS.

The names of three countries are hidden in this puzzle. By rearranging the words spelled with capital letters, try to find these hidden countries.

LET'S LAUGH.

Standing Order.

Mrs. Rodger was pleased with the half-crown she had earned by posing for an artist but for her employer she had nothing but contempt.

"Artists!" she grumbled. "Humph! Asked me to sit for 'im, 'e did, and when I went to 'is studio, blest if 'e didn't keep me standing for a 'ole hour."

In Doubt.

Office boy: "Your wife has been on the phone, sir, to say that she wants to see you about—"
Boss: "About what?"
Office Boy: "About five, sir."

Boss (sharply): "H'm—o'clock or dollars?"

Worth the Price.

"Here's a ticket for the conjuror's show, Maggie. When he comes to that trick where he takes a teaspoon of four an' one egg, an' makes 30 oom'lettes, watch vera closely!"

The Beach Landlady.

"Your letter said, 'Few minutes from sea,' and we find it's three miles off!"

"Yes, but I never dreamed you hadn't a car."

laughs. If another man is near, he probably splashes him before turning and swimming down again. They race one another to the bottom, putting all their energy into it, swimming down through the clear blue-greenness of the water with long, reaching strokes. They are children at play, rather than workmen.

(To be continued to-morrow)

TO PIERCE A COIN.

Should you wish to make a hole in a coin in order to hang it on a bangle or watch-chain, you can easily do so in the following manner: Take an ordinary cotton reel, or bobbin, and place the coin over the hole at the spot where you wish to pierce it. Then push a needle through a cork and put it upon the coin. Hold the cork tightly and give the needle a sharp knock with a hammer, when it will pierce the coin at the required place. One thing must be noticed: be sure that the needle is immediately over the hole in the cotton reel, otherwise it is liable to snap in two.

PIDGIN ENGLISH.

PING WING.

Ping Wing he pie-man son,
He velley worst chilo allo Canton.

He steal he mother picklum mico, and thiloves eat in bilin' rice. Hab chow-chow up, an' 'Now' talk he.

"My wonder where he meow cat be!"

Ping Wing he look-see, tinkey fun Two pieces man who asleep in sun, shleepoo song he young-ki, fata.

Ping tie 'um pigtail allo togata, Then flee clacker an' offy lun, That pieceo velly bad pie-man son.

Ping-Wing see gentleman wailo-go He scleamse, "Hai, yah-fan-kwei lo!"

All-same you savvy in Chinese, "One folsign defi-lookse-see!" But gentleman t hat pidgin know,

He catchee Ping and floggun so, That alio-way bent that day, maskee He velly good little Chinese.

Note.—Dis no pukka story. No hab got one so bad pieceo boy, allo China side wat maskee so to he fata.

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CHIU QUAN TAKES SUB. GRIFFINS AUTUMN PLATE

(By "MORNING DEW.")

There were several surprises in the opening race meeting of the autumn season held at Happy Valley on Saturday. Big dividends were paid out in several races and the presence of several new jockeys to the course—experienced riders from Shanghai—made the sport all the more interesting.

As generally anticipated, Bag and Baggage won the Fifth Aggregate Stakes in convincing manner and this pony looks very much as if he is going to tie with Glencagles in points at the end of the series, unless Glencagles starts when the next Aggregate Stakes is held.

The novice's race produced no fewer than sixteen starters, but Mr. Chanson, riding Just Imagine, had no difficulty in winning. He led all the way home.

The first upset came in the Australian ponies event when Mr. Leo Frost, riding Fred, a comparative outsider, accounted for several well backed ponies to pay \$44 for a win. Thereafter, however, Mr. Frost did not catch the judge's eye again as a winner. In fact, no one jockey was able to win more than a single race.

WILD LIFE IN GREAT FETTER

Followers of racing had a surprise waiting for them in the opening race of the day. Bag and Baggage was hoisted on the board but there was no sign of either Boxing Eve or Valorous, both of which were confidently expected to extend the favourite. In their absence, Bag and Baggage won without being pushed.

The absentees both presented themselves for the second race where a triangular contest—Don, Wild Life and Racing Boy—was due to be decided. Boxing Eve started with 171 pounds on the saddle—eleven pounds over-weight and, needless to add, the pony never had a look in. Valorous was left at the start and made no difference to the chances of the favourites.

Don looked a picture of condition in the paddock and Mr. da Rosa, who rode him, sent him to the front early on. He was leading at the Rock and when taking the village bend gave the impression that he would win, but Wild Life, who came along with a last quarter of something like 28 seconds, came through to win comfortably by three lengths. Racing Boy, the champion sub, found the early pace too much for him and he was very badly placed at the top of the straight, but he responded nobly when asked for an effort and just managed to scramble into a place. Gay Crusader and The Tiger were other starters.

First Upset.

In the Australian event, Manna got off to a good start and led over the first mile, with Joaquim, Mermaid and Tin Tac following him within two lengths. Fred came along from the back of the field to win by two lengths from Manna and Mermaid, who up till the distance post were quite a few lengths ahead of the rest of the field.

Of the twelve starters in the Big Wave Stakes, three shot to the front when the gate was lifted and left the rest of the field some lengths behind. The three leaders were Navy, Hall, Gold Ring, both well backed candidates and the red hot favourite Deveron. After half a mile Navy Hall had shaken off both Deveron and Gold Ring and in the run home, he had things all his own way. Meanwhile Wakefield, a new pony to race here, was hard worked all the way and by the time the distance post was reached has passed Gold Ring and Deveron. Snappy Eve too, came along with a big rush at the end and deprived the favourite Deveron of even place money.

Although there were ten starters in the Sub-Griffins Autumn Plate, the public made no mistake about this race and backed Chiu Quan heavily. The pony won, but only by the excellent riding of Mr. S. W. Pui, a newcomer to the course. Mistletoe and Golden Arrow made a good fight of it all the way and gave the impression that they would leave the others miles behind. Chiu Quan came into prominence at the Rock and thereafter there was nothing in the race but these three. Mistletoe and Golden Arrow entered the straight first and after

a gruelling struggle Mr. Soares brought Mistletoe's head in front of Golden Arrow, only to find that Chiu Quan had also passed Golden Arrow on the rails. It was too late for Mistletoe to make any further effort and the race fell to Chiu Quan by half a length with Golden Arrow a good third. Helvellyn, with Mr. Frost up, was well backed in this race, but failed to get a place.

Blowdown Beaten.

In the fifth race, Blowdown and Gold Bar were joint favourites, with the former carrying a few more tickets than the latter. Both were unplaced. Mr. K. C. Laing, another stranger to local racing, brought The Rainstorm, a sub of this season, to win by a length and a half from Cebu. Moon Talisman, after showing up prominently all the way round, petered out in the straight and only just managed to get a place money.

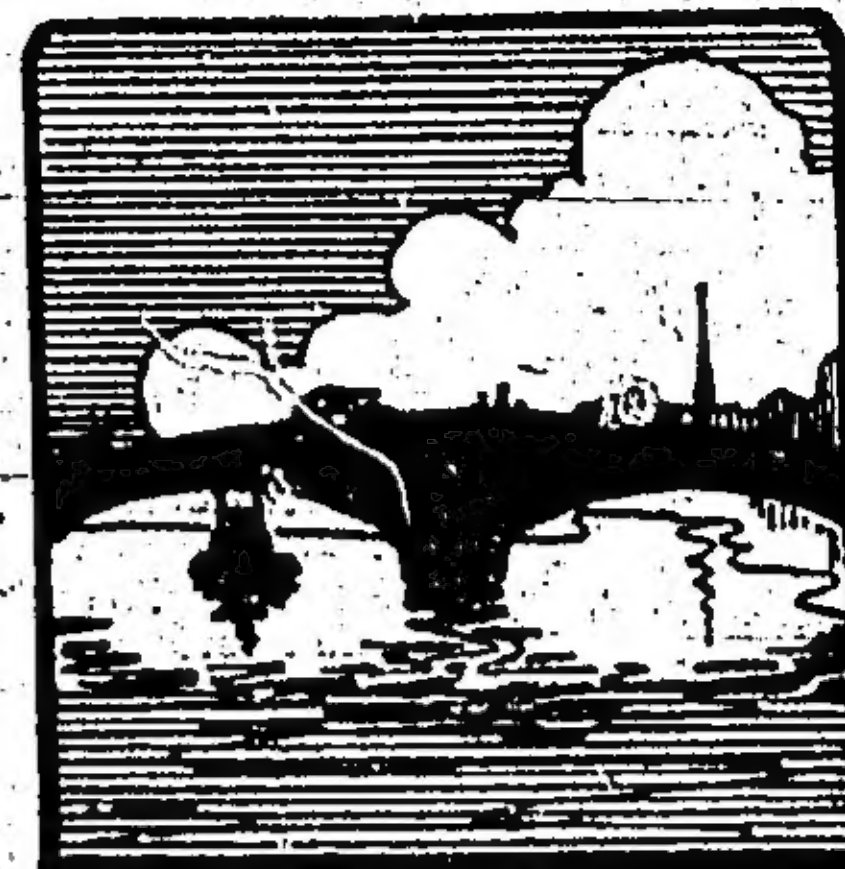
Pride of Tsingtao, Daylight Eve and King's Counsel were the only three acceptances for the Clear Water Handicap, a sprint over five furlongs. The first named figured in a bad start and although he made up for it in the first three furlongs, the effort was too much for him and he was well beaten in the straight. Daylight Eve won the event handsomely and King's Counsel put a length between himself and Pride of Tsingtao.

Novices' Picnic.

Sixteen novices accepted for the Picnic Bay Stakes and a regular picnic it proved to be, for, with the exception of two or three of the starters, the others never had a chance. It was a merry-go-round all the way with the field well strung out and when Just Imagine was passing the winning post, Dan'l Whiddon, the last pony was about a quarter of a mile behind. The winner had things all his own way, leading all the way home. Mr. L. Reidy is certainly the possessor of some wonderful animals and although he lost Season Ticket, the outstanding Australian pony, a few months back, he is now the proud possessor of (Continued on Page 7.)

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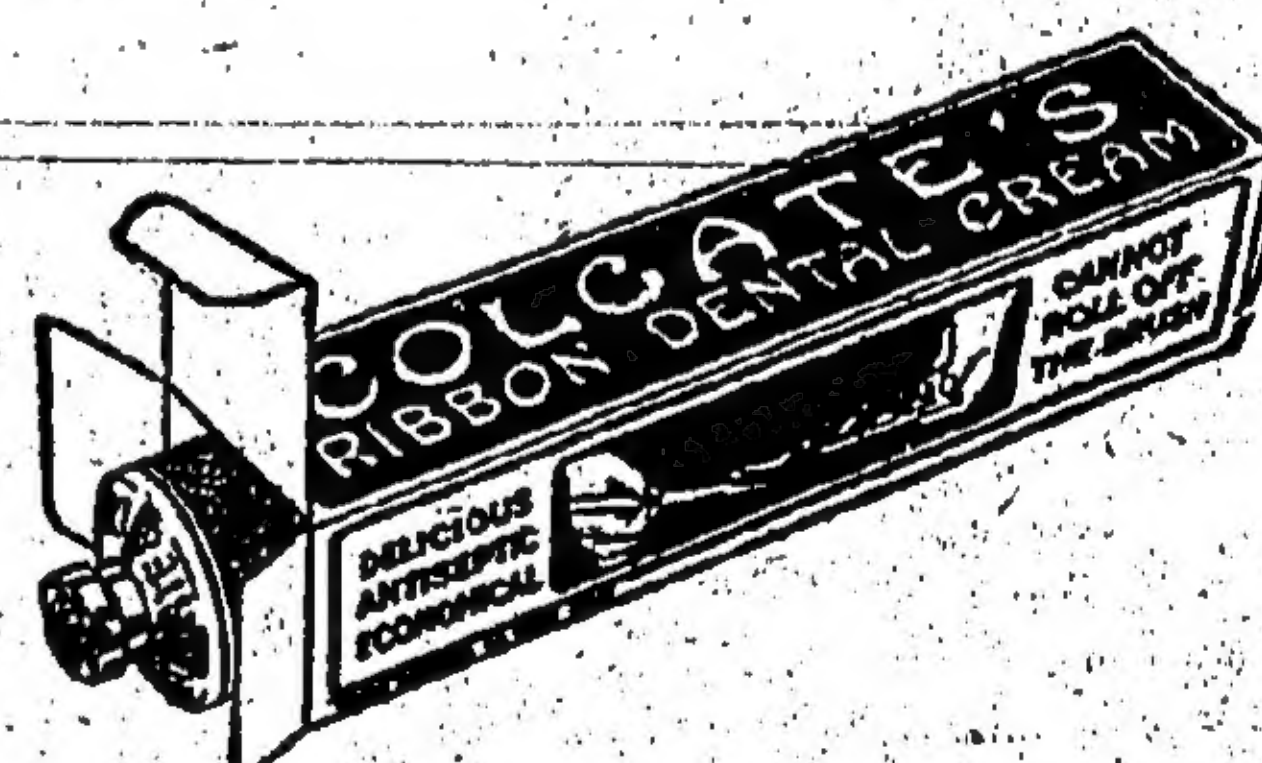
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OPENING OF K.C.C.'s NEW CLUB HOUSE

CEREMONY PERFORMED AMID PICTURESQUE SURROUNDINGS.

INTERESTING CRICKET MATCH PLAYED.

The new quarters of the Kowloon Cricket Club have been opened.

At 4.30 in the afternoon, in the presence of about 300 cricket, bowls, and tennis enthusiasts, Mrs. W. T. Southern formally declared the building open and led the members and their guests in to the palatial new Club House.

It was also the occasion of the long-awaited-for cricket match between the K.C.C. and the rest of the Colony. Cricket enthusiasts turned up in force to witness this match, and these, together with their guests and friends who had come to see and hear the new building opened, formed the happy throng which helped to make the occasion a memorable one.

In brilliant sunshine the opening ceremony was performed, an earlier shower having completely cleared. At the main entrance on the N. East, and along Cox's Road, and across the square immediately in front of the building, were suspended gayly-coloured flags and bunting. Even more gaiety and colour was lent the scene by the presence of the many ladies in delightful summer frocks.

An adjournment was called in the cricket match while the opening ceremony was performed.

MRS. SOUTHERN PERFORMS OPENING CEREMONY.

On arrival, Mrs. Southern was met by the president of the Club, Mr. R. E. Lindsell.

In addressing the gathering from the steps of the new Club-house, Mrs. Southern said, "There is probably no one less qualified than myself to open this Club House, for I am, alas, no use at games. But while acutely conscious of my deficiencies I am cheered by two facts—one that your genial Chairman, who has presided over your destinies so successfully for eight years, is a very good friend of mine—and secondly I yield to none in my admiration of those who play games, and those who encourage the team spirit in any form."

"The history of the K.C.C. has been set forth in an admirable little booklet, which he who runs or even she who sits still may read. The record is a fine one, and it is my pride and delight to be invited to-day to open this splendid new building, on which I hope good fellowship will prevail."

Mr. Raven, partner in the firm of architects responsible for the design of the building handed to Mrs. Southern the key with which the door was then officially opened.

Members, players, and guests were entertained at tea, which was served in the ball-room and on the wide verandah overlooking the playing field. Tables were also set out on the terraced lawn immediately in front of the verandah.

Mr. Lindsell Addresses Members.

Before the cricket match was resumed, Mr. Lindsell addressed the gathering in the ball-room and briefly reviewed the history of the Club and its activities. He said, "In the Club's calendar this is a red letter day. It is the anniversary of St. Boniface, who being the patron saint of inn and innkeepers must, I take it, stand in the same relation to clubs. Anyway, I claim his patronage for this Club."

"Now I am not going to weary you with a history of this Club since its foundation in 1904. You will find all that set out in a brochure, but I should like to say something of the vicissitudes and difficulties from which we have just emerged with the completion of this splendid Club house."

"Since the old pavilion came into existence in 1906, Kowloon has grown beyond belief, and with the growth our membership has naturally increased. Twelve years ago it was borne in on us that accommodation was getting exceedingly cramped, and in 1921 a scheme was set on foot to build a new pavilion to cost about \$25,000. This scheme was abandoned when with the completion of the King's Park into a recreation ground we were allocated the area now occupied by the Royal Naval Officers' Sports Club, and two other small areas below, and we were notified that we could not hope to remain much longer on this site which would be needed for other purposes."

"Finest Club House East of Suez."

"This was something of a 'fiasco' and for a while there was a sharp diversion of opinion among mem-

bers whether we should move forth with or hang on to these grounds as long as possible. Finally, the stayers won and we stayed. Then in 1930 when our prospects of permanent occupation improved the new Club-house project was revived, and though it had to be suspended for a while it was not this time abandoned, and despite a long delay and trouble with the contractor this fine building, designed by Messrs. Raven and Basto, has now at last become our new home. No one can, I think, gainsay we have now the finest sports Club house east of Suez. We have taken risks and carried through a most ambitious project, and we confidently believe which is not too ambitious, as Kowloon is growing so rapidly that we believe that a big building like this together with the large grounds we occupy will attract more and more members through the social and sporting facilities we have to offer. We want more and more Kowloonites and even Hong Kongites to feel there is something lacking in their lives if they have not joined the K.C.C."

His Excellency's Regrets.

"Now for a word of thanks. First to H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, for his kindly interest in our welfare. But for postponement cruelly forced upon us by the typhoon he would have been present as our guest and skip of the very strong four from Government House. As it is he has sent to us a special message regretting that other engagements makes it impossible to be present here—regret which we most heartily reciprocate."

"To our old friends of the cricket field Dick Hancock and Eric Mitchell we are deeply indebted for the fine clock which will before long grace the turret above our score-board. To contributors towards the cost of the second billiard table, again our grateful thanks; the billiard-room, should be one of the great attractions."

"To our architects also we are very grateful for this happy result of their labours, particularly Mr. A. R. F. Raven, who in addition is kindly presenting a check for the billiard room."

Workers Thanked.

"Finally I cannot leave out the building sub-committee (though as chairman thereof I feel here on rather delicate ground) and must pay tribute to the indefatigable efforts of my fellow-workers, in particular Mr. W. W. Hirst, who as our so-called 'land-lord' might be the reincarnation of St. Boniface himself, Mr. 'Jimmy' Hyde, who though called 'Grandpa' by the irreverent I believe regards this building almost as one of his own children, and finally Mr. Mackenzie who as special secretary in the past 18 months had done his job most cheerfully and efficiently."

"One last word. It is my hope and privilege on behalf of the Club to welcome all visitors here to-day, particularly Mrs. Southern and offer to you all the hospitality of the Club. We are most grateful to you, Mrs."

Southern, for having spared your time and so charmingly performed our opening ceremony, and for the kind things you have said about the Club. What better send-off could we have had on our new career."

"Ladies and Gentlemen, I ask you all to honour us by drinking to the health of the K.C.C."

Mr. Hancock for the Visitors.

Being called upon, H. R. B. Hancock, captain of the visiting team said that on looking round the large gathering he was at a loss to know why the honour of speaking had fallen on him, as there were so many more people who, he was sure, could have done more justice to it than himself. He felt, however, that it was because he had a longer cricket acquaintance with the members of the Club, and he valued very much this fellowship with the members of the Club which had been formed many years ago on the cricket field. They could take it from him that there was no better place to form and keep friendships than on the cricket field.

"A Cricket Club."

Apart from the many activities of the Club, the one they could lay the greatest claim to fame was in its unbounded hospitality. In that respect, the Kowloon Cricket Club was not surpassed by any other Club in the Colony. Another thing was the Children's sports organized by the Club every January, which had been held ever since 1906, and which were a source of great joy to many children. This was yet another example of the hospitality of the Club.

In conclusion, Mr. Hancock reminded the younger members that the Club was called the Kowloon Cricket Club. They should not forget the middle word, and should not be led away by other older members to different fields of sport. He wished the Club every success, and on behalf of the visitors, thanked them for their hospitality.

Rain Delays Start of Match.

In the early part of the afternoon when the match was about to commence, a heavy shower of rain damped the wicket. The extent of this dampness was amply proved when one player sat down on the sward rather suddenly, with dire results to his once immaculate trousers.

But the spirit of cricket was in the air. The sharp clack of bat on ball, the flannelled fielders on tip-toes with keenness, and the sympathetic gallery of spectators only too eager to applaud each stroke of the batsman, or a smart piece of fielding or bowling, were all signs that cricket still reigned as the premier game among games. At the other end of the ground, a lawn-bowls game between Club members and the rest of the Colony provided the attraction for those so inclined.

K.C.C. on Saturday was the mecca of sport and sportsmen.

Fitting Conclusion.

The flannelled dance which took place in the new pavilion during the evening provided a fitting conclusion to what was a brilliant opening day for Kowloon Cricket Club's new Club house.

OBITUARY.

MISS F. G. HOUGHTON.

The China Inland Mission office in London have received a telegram from China reporting the death on August 31, from meningitis, of Miss Freda Grace Houghton, at the age of 29. She was the youngest daughter of the Rev. Thomas Houghton, vicar of Whitlington, Norfolk, and was educated at Bath High School. She left England for China in September last year. "She was one of 200 missionaries who volunteered and took up service for us in China during 1900/1," said the Rev. W. H. Aldis, secretary of the Mission. "She is the first of them to lay down her life in the field. We have no details except the cable, which has been from Yün-an-Chang, a market town on the Yangtze River in Szechwan, and we do not know if she actually died there. Miss Houghton came from a missionary family."

Two brothers are missionaries in China and Burma. Another brother is editorial secretary of the China Inland Mission, and a sister has been invalided home from missionary work in Burma. The funeral took place on Sunday evening and was largely attended.

SCOUTS AND GUIDES

INSPIRING SERVICE AT ST. ANDREW'S, KOWLOON.

Another mark in the history of Scouting in Hong Kong was made yesterday when over a hundred scouts and girl guides attended the special service held on their behalf at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon. This service was perhaps the most interesting and inspiring ever held in the little church of the Peninsula, and as a parishoner remarked afterwards "It made one forget that England was some ten thousand miles away, so definitely homelike was the nature of the entire proceedings."

The weather decided to behave well for the special occasion, and the approach of the different companies of scouts and guides was heralded by the delightful playing of hymns and chimes on the church bells. After the troops had been allotted their places in the nave of the church, and the remainder of the congregation seated, the choir wended its way down the aisle to the accompaniment of the playing of the hymn "Glorious things are Spoken of Thee." The Choir was followed by representatives of the different troops carrying their scout and guide banners, with the clergy bringing up the rear of the procession. All the junior members of the choir were in uniform, and St. Andrew's (The 1st Kowloon Troop), "Dyer's Own" Troop, and the Sea Scouts, were represented even in this small assembly of songsters.

Actually all the duties connected with the service, with the exception of course of conducting it, were performed by scouts. Mr. R. Dormer and R. Wong, Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster, respectively, of St. Andrew's Troop, read the Lessons, the collection was taken by six members of different troops in the Colony, and the ringing of the chimes before the service was performed by two youngsters of St. Andrew's congregation.

Special prayers were offered by the Rev. G. E. Updell, who was assisting the Vicar, the Rev. Walton Rogers, on behalf of the Scout movement throughout the world, and especially for scouting in Hong Kong, whilst all the hymns sung during the service, were specially chosen for their bearing on one or other aspect of the proceeding. The Rev. Walton Rogers preached an inspiring sermon on "Loyalty," and illustrated his theme by stories of the world's leaders of the past. Whilst perhaps delightful is hardly a word to use in connection with a religious service, nevertheless it is suitable to that held yesterday morning, and thanks go out to all who helped to make it a beautiful and inspiring lesson.

The Guide Mistresses and Scoutmasters at the services were Miss Owen Hughes, Mrs. Rose, Miss Cousins, Miss M. White, and Messrs. R. Dormer and R. Wong, whilst the congregation included Dr. Matthews, Mrs. Walton Rogers, and Miss Sawyer, Headmistress of the Diocesan Girls' School, with a large number of her pupils.

LOSS TO INDIAN COMMUNITY.

DEATH OF MR. OMAR ISMAIL.

It is with regret that we have to announce the death of Mr. Omar Ismail, one of the prominent younger members of the Indian community. Deceased, who was taken ill with black water fever about a week ago, died at St. Paul's Hospital on Saturday night, and his demise came as a great shock to his large circle of friends. A keen sportsman the late Mr. Ismail was prominently connected with the Indian Recreation Club, particularly in cricket, in which department he distinguished himself in batting in the first division, which won the championship for two years in succession. Besides cricket, however, he played tennis, basketball, and football. He was also a member of the Chingpowder Cricket Club, and as a mark of respect the flag of both these clubs were flown at half-mast. The late Mr. Ismail was only 29 years of age at the time of his death, and leaves, besides his parents, a wife and three children, to whom the deepest sympathy is extended. The funeral took place on Sunday evening and was largely attended.

BAG AND BAGGAGE WINS AGGREGATES.

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Bag and Baggage, one of the best China ponies and Chippagone Bay. The last named ran in the "C" class race over a mile on Saturday and won from a field of twelve. The pony ran splendidly, and when he looked all beaten, Mr. Reidy asked him for a fresh effort and he responded at once to enable his jockey to "nose out" Wonderful Stag on the post. Ajax got third place by the smallest conceivable margin from Indiana.

RESULTS.

Race 1a.
Mr. L. Reidy's Bag and Baggage (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 1
Mr. L.T.F.'s Gold Key (Mr. S. W. Pan) 2
Mr. L. Reidy's Vaylock (Mr. G. A. Harriman) 3
Won by two lengths; many lengths between second and third.
Time: 1 min. 23.3 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$5.70.
Place: \$5.70.
Betting: Winner, Place.

Bag and Baggage (G. U. da Roza) 473 123
Gold Key (S. W. Pan) 93 23
Vaylock (Harriman) 47 17

Race 1.
Messrs. Waung and Li's Wild Life (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
Messrs. Li and Li's Don (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
Mr. H. S. Chau's Racing Boy (Mr. L. G. Frost) 3
Won by three lengths; the same between second and third.
Time: 2 mins. 13.4 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$14.70.
Place: \$5.90, \$5.80, \$5.60.
Betting: Winner, Place.

Boxing Eye (Charles) 191 275
Don (G. Roza) 459 751
Gay Crusader (Reidy) 73 100
Nippy (S. W. Pan) 32 60
Racing Boy (Frost) 49 692
The Tiger (Butler) 25 76
Valorous (Kemble) 133 210
Wild Life (S. N. Pan) 506 688

Race 2.
Mr. A.A.R.B.'s Fred (Mr. Frost) 1
Mr. A. M. L. Soares' Manna (Mr. W. Frost) 2
Mr. Pakhoi's Mergaid (Mr. S. W. Pan) 3
Won by two lengths; half length between second and third.
Time: 1 min. 25.3 secs.
Betting: Winner, Place.

Fred (Frost) 183 205
Gold Digger (Harriman) 24 74
Joaquim (G. Roza) 136 223
Manna (A. Roza) 477 444
Mergaid (S. W. Pan) 238 374
Miss Jummy (Butler) 33 72
Retha (Carroll) 19 48
The Rainbow (S. N. Pan) 601 894
Tin Tac (Liang) 54 115
Vesta (H. V. Pearce) 9 32

Race 3.
Mr. Samson's Navy Hall (Mr. F. M. L. Soares) 1
Mr. H.S.Y.'s Wakefield (Mr. Frost) 2
Mr. Woo Lai Tin's Snappy Eve (Mr. Noronha) 3
Won by three lengths; two lengths between second and third.
Time: 1 min. 33.3 secs.
Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$29.80.
Place: \$11.40, \$13.30, \$3.00.
Betting: Winner, Place.

Amos (Reidy) 42 70
California (Liang) 100 187
Christmas Joy (Kemble) 64 90
Deveron (G. Roza) 1,063 1,289
Gold Ring (S. W. Pan) 255 340
Golden Star (K. O. Liang) 20 70
Maple Leaf (Caplan) 17 36
Myrtle Leaf (Carroll) 12 17
Navy Hall (Soares) 321 456
Snappy Eve (Noronha) 41 95
Wakefield (Frost) 221 333
White Heather (Tuxford) 13 28

Race 4.
Messrs. Swatow and Pakhoi's Chin Quan (Mr. S. W. Pan) 1
Messrs. Li and Li's Mistletoe (Mr. Soares) 2
Mrs. A. M. L. Soares' Golden Arrow (Mr. A. W. de Roza) 3
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Amoy (H. F. Pao) 99 102
Chiu Quan (S. W. Pan) 1,024 1,078
Estrelita (A. Botelho) 44 123
Golden Arrow (Noronha) 69 170
Gallant Fox (A. Roza) 193 235
Helvella (Frost) 552 740
Horody (G. Harriman) 18 26
Kamoa (R. G. Liang) 12 29
Mistletoe (Soares) 691 875
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF RAFAEL ECHEGOYEN, LATE OF MANILA IN THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, MERCHANT, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the Provisions of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1907, made an Order limiting the Time for Creditors and Others to send in their Claims against the above Estate to 20th Day of OCTOBER, 1932.

All Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their Claims to the Underigned on or before that date.

Dated this 20th day of September 1932.

DEACONS,

Solicitors for the Administrator,
1, Des Voeux Road, Central,
Hong Kong.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry Forms for the Eleventh Extra Race Meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 30th and MONDAY, 1st OCTOBER, 1932 (weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, the Club House, Happy Valley, the Hong Kong Club, the Sports Club, and the Stables, Village Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 29th SEPTEMBER, 1932.

By Order,

S. A. SLEAP,

Acting Secretary.

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HONG KONG AMUSEMENTS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ELEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the QUEEN'S THEATRE, Queen's Road, Central, on WEDNESDAY, 28th SEPTEMBER, 1932, at NOON, to pass the Directors' Report and Accounts, to elect retiring Directors and Auditors, to declare a Dividend, and to transact any other Ordinary Business of the Company.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th to the 28th day of SEPTEMBER, 1932, both days inclusive.

Dated the 19th day of September, 1932.

By Order of the Board,

CHAS. S. BOSSELET,
Secretary.

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HONG KONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

DRAFT TEXTILES CONTRACT.

ALL Merchants interested in the import of Piece Goods—including non-members of the Chamber—are invited to attend a Meeting to be held in the office of the Chamber, Chartered Bank Building, on

MONDAY, 2nd OCTOBER, 1932,
At 4 P.M.

at which a revised draft Textiles Contract will be submitted for approval.

By Order,

M. F. KEY,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 22nd September, 1932.

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MARRIAGE.

SALTER-WILLIAMSON.—On September 1, 1932, at Christ Church, Lancaster Gate, by the Rev. Penn Collett, MAURICE ARTHUR, second son of the late A. J. Salter and Mrs. Salter, to MARY KATHLEEN, elder daughter of the late James Williamson, Hong Kong and Singapore, and Mrs. Williamson, of Campden Hill, W.S.

DEATH.

HOUGHTON.—On August 31, 1932, in China, FREDERICK HOUGHTON, C.I.M. Missionary, youngest precious daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Houghton, Whitington Vicarage Norfolk, aged 29.

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The Daily Press.

Hong Kong, September 26, 1932.

THE BRITISH INSURANCE WORLD.

Next to the banks the insurance companies are the most important of British financial institutions. Not all British insurance is handled by the companies, for the bulk of marine insurance is transacted through the members of "Lloyd's," who are, of course, individual operators, like the chartering agents of the "Baltic" and the jobbers of the Stock Exchange. But life insurance, fire insurance, accident and many other forms of insurance are mainly undertaken by the companies. These companies are more numerous than the banks, for practically all English banking is now done through the London Clearing-House banks (the "Big Five" and five smaller banks), while there are about twenty-five large insurance companies whose names figure in the official daily lists of the Stock Exchange. These insurance companies are of immense strength and their business worldwide. It follows, therefore, that no true estimate of Great Britain's financial position at any given time can be made unless the fortune of the British insurance world is also taken into account. Surveys of the banking half-year have

just been made (and found to be good), and it is opportune to ask how the British insurance companies have fared in the same period.

From time to time British insurance has been severely tested but it has always successfully weathered the storm. Last year was certainly one of the most severe trials that have ever fallen to the lot of the insurance institutions. Apart from certain especially heavy claims in respect of maritime disasters there were the effects of severe trade depression throughout the world. The latter was shown in decreased premium incomes (entailing a rise in working costs) and a heavier claims ratio. But the most striking fact of the year, especially during its early months, was that the offices had, like the banks, to face a heavy depreciation in the values of securities held by them. It is this latter fact that has led to an especially keen scrutiny of the position of the companies at the end of the first half of this year. Before dealing with this matter it will be well to explain the practice of the companies in regard to the value they set on their securities, for it cannot be too strongly emphasized and frequently repeated that it is to this practice that the strength of the British insurance is largely due. Briefly, this practice is the same as that adopted by the British banks, namely, to write down security values in times of depression and not to write them up when recovery occurs.

The depreciation in the value of nearly all classes of securities last year was a matter that naturally received very careful attention from the managers of insurance companies. Most of the securities held by the companies were of the highest class, gilt-edged and the like, but such was the intensity of the "economic blizzard" of last year that even gilt-edged stocks suffered a decline. This decline was naturally not so serious as was the case with ordinary stocks, but some provision had to be made in the yearly balance-sheets of the companies and this was done. Despite this the companies were able to publish strong balance-sheets. When the abnormal depreciation set in last year some of the insurance companies had already considerable reserves to draw upon before any fresh allowance had actually to be made. As a rule, this surplus

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POLICE SWIMMING GALA

KEEN COMPETITION AT V.R.C. BATH.

SHAH MOHAMMED AGAIN WINS CHAMPIONSHIP.

The 11th Annual Aquatic Sports of the Police, Prisons and Fire Brigade was held on Saturday afternoon.

At the V.R.C. Bath, a large crowd being present including H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, and Mrs. Southern, the Inspector General of Police, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King and Mrs. King, Mr. Justice and Mrs. J. R. Wood, Mr. D. King, D.S.P. (R.), Mr. C. G. Percud, D.S.P. (K.), Mr. J. W. Franks, Superintendent of Prisons and Mr. G. L. Hopkins, Assistant Superintendent of Prisons.

The European Championship was won by Warder Franks and the Indian and Chinese championship by Shah Mohammed. The latter repeated his success for the third successive year, a feat for which he won warm congratulations from his colleagues.

Following the competitive events Mr. E. A. De Roza, the Interport Diving Champion, gave an exhibition of fancy diving.

The prizes were distributed by Mrs. Southern.

The Results.

The results were as follows:—Championship of Police and Prisons—Indians and Chinese—1, Shah Mohammed; 2, Chan Kwai; 3, Eeroz Din. Time: 1.31 sec.

Championship of Police and Prisons—Europeans—1, Warder Franks; 2, Sgt. Wisbow; 3, Sgt. Wheeler. Time: 1.17 sec.

Team Race—Won by the Fire Brigade. Time: 1 min. 2 sec.

Young Plungers—1, Sgt. Wisbow; 2, Warder Gooding.

Street Boys Club—1, Yeung Chuang; 2, Leung Wah; 3, Tam Nam. Time: 40 sec.

European Handicap—1, Warder Cornwall; 2, Mr. Brooks; 3, Warder Franks. Time: 33.5 sec.

Pillow Fight—1, Warder Hirsch; 2, Sgt. Wheeler.

Sons of Police and Prison Officers Race—1, Andrew Dick; 2, Noel Booker; 3, Andrew Falla. Time: 43.5 sec.

Daughters of Police and Prison Officers Race—1, Hannah Lane; 2, Vera Stimson; 3, Joan Didabury. Time: 50 sec.

100 Yards Breast Stroke (Europeans)—1, Warder Franks; 2, Sgt. Bowers; 3, Sgt. Baysting. Time: 22.15 sec.

High Diving—1, Sgt. Brown; 2, Sgt. Goodwin.

Life Saving—1, Warder Cromwell; 2, Sgt. Wheeler; 3, Sgt. Symson.

Police Reserve (100 Yards). Ladies Nomination Race—1, Mrs. Bolton and Mr. Bowers; 2, Miss Glendinning and Mr. Simpson.

Clerical Stug Race (Asiatia)—1, Yeung Ping Kwai; 2, Mak Fat Ming. Time: 30 sec.

Team Race (Reserve Teams)—Won by Police Reserves. Time: 58 sec.

Water Polo (Police v. Prisons)—Police 2, Warders 1.

was disposed of, and out of the earnings of the year further provision was made. So carefully was this allowance made that in some cases the aggregate market values of securities at the end of the year exceeded those shown in the accounts.

Returning now to the fortunes of the insurance companies in 1932. Quite early in the year the increase of confidence in British credit had served to send up the value of gilt-edged securities and fixed-interest securities generally. This improvement has continued throughout this year and was such that when the meetings of some of the companies were held in the late spring, much of the depreciation, or even the whole of it, had been recovered. Since then has come the outstanding financial event of 1932, the War Loan Conversion scheme. The effect of this has been to cause the prices of high-class securities to advance very sharply. The additions to the market values of securities held by British insurance companies cannot fail to have been very considerable, and this in turn has been reflected in the rise of their own stocks and shares. The net result of these developments is that the high reputation which British insurance companies hold throughout the world has been fully maintained and in many cases enhanced. When, in due course, the world depression passes the British insurance world, thanks to its sound financial practices, will be well fitted to take the greatest advantage of the recovery.

★ News and Views ★

Killing Expense.

Highland sportsmen, it is calculated, may pay over £100 for every stag they shoot. That's dear stalking, isn't it!

Safest is Best!

"If the National Gallery were on fire, which five pictures would you attempt to rescue?"

"The five nearest the door!"

Latest Beach Suits.

Very few pyjamas are now worn at the Lido and the vogue is for simple, rough linen suits cut with a low back, with a cape or short coat for the drive back to Venice.

In the Seats of the Mighty.

The number of visitors to the Houses of Parliament this summer has eclipsed previous records. The groups which are shepherd round the "sights" of the Legislature are at this season of the most cosmopolitan character, Americans and Continental visitors rubbing shoulders with men and women from the provinces and showing at least equal interest in learning where the leading politicians sit and speak. The visitor from abroad, indeed, seems just as proud of sitting for a moment in the seat of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald or Mr. Baldwin as the home elector. After all this is not surprising, for in an era of world conferences the leading statesmen of each nation have become international figures.

Eggs by Post.

British Post officials have been ruffled by Lord Wolmer's reflections upon the methods of handling par-

cels, and his reluctance to advise the sending of eggs through the post. The up-to-date methods at Mount Pleasant are being cited in reply, and admittedly ingenuity has been displayed in the mechanical contrivances in the sorting-rooms at headquarters. The human element, however, is not so tender throughout the despatch of, say, a box of eggs from the North of Scotland to London.

Britain Wins.

Two English golfers winning national titles overseas on the same day in different countries was a very rare and pleasing success for the old country. It happened when Miss Molly Gourlay won the women's championship of Sweden and W. C. Carr, the former Cambridge Blue, on the German amateur. In Miss Gourlay's case the final fight was a very close one, but the English girl's extra length won the day.

In Germany.

In Germany Carr defeated J. E. Dewiel, of Hamburg, after surprising everyone by overcoming another Cambridge Blue, W. H. Birmingham, in the semi-final. Birmingham was looked upon as a certain winner after he had defeated the former holder, Andrew McNair, but "Wash" Carr, trained under James Braid at Walton Heath, outdressed him.

Similar Names in Shipping.

Two casualty reports received in the London insurance market, by telegram from Japan illustrating the importance of avoiding the duplication of names in order to eliminate the risk of

confusion, for the messages related to two ships whose names, except for one letter, are identical, says the London Times. According to a telegram from Tokyo the steamer, Teikoku Maru, of 1,520 tons gross, had stranded badly at Aoshima, Yechigo Province, and the salvage vessel Kurushima Maru had been dispatched from Hakodate to her assistance. Fifty per cent. was quoted as the market for reinsurance. The other vessel was the Japanese steamer Taikai Maru, of 2,460 tons gross which was reported from Yokohama to have stranded on the east coast of Saghalien during a thick fog. A salvage steamer had also proceeded to her assistance.

A Foreign Monopoly.

The advice to "Buy British" has been received with general approval, but in one direction at least prospective customers will find it difficult, indeed impossible, to follow. There are no all-British skeletons to be had. Apparently the market is strictly "cornered" by the foreigner, and the trade is monopolised in this country by about half a dozen London importers, who sell their goods of varying quality at prices ranging from £3. to £15 a time. The skeletons are imported under licence largely for the instruction of students of medicine, and no one appears to have considered breaking into the market with "British and best" skeletons.

To-day's Quotation.

The darkest night the world has ever known did not put out the stars.

PROVERB.

Local and General

from the files.

Looking Back 25 Years.

The third annual meeting of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club takes place on Monday, the 30th inst. The report of the General Committee says the members and subscribers on the register for the year ending 31st August, 1932, number 208, thirty-four new members and three military subscribers having been elected during the year. Mr. H. Perry Smith who has served the Club as Secretary and Treasurer for two years resigned those offices on the 31st August last, and Mr. G. G. Franklin has been elected Honorary Secretary and Treasurer. On the proposal of the Hon. Mr. F. H. May, the Commodore, in the chair, seconded by Major Broke, the General Committee recommended that the best thanks of the Club be offered to Mr. Perry Smith for his services as Secretary and Treasurer and for his donation of a cup.

Writing from Peking, Reuter's correspondent states that Chang T'ing-tang, the Chinese resident at Lhasa, reports the establishment of a Chinese Tibetan school at the Tibetan capital, where young Chinese and Tibetans will learn the languages and literature of China and Tibet. The students at that school are destined for future Government employment in Tibet. His Excellency also reports the establishment of a native newspaper for the enlightenment of people in both Inner and Outer Tibet. This newspaper will be the first in the Tibetan language. Hong Kong Daily Press, September 26, 1932.

Looking Back 50 Years.

We regret to note, in the obituary list for the week given by the Home News of the 18th ult., and reproduced in the Straits Times received yesterday, the name of Sir John Smale, late Chief Justice of Hong Kong. We have received no previous intelligence of the veteran knight ailing in any way, and his decease was probably sudden. Sir John Smale was, we believe, considerably over eighty years of age. On receipt of the news yesterday morning, the Supreme Court suspended its sittings out of respect to the memory of the late Chief Justice. Hong Kong Daily Press, September 26, 1932.

A well-known veteran of the Fire Brigade, Sub-Officer Ip Lai, died last week at his house at Wanchai. Ip Lai had been for six years in charge of the Wanchai Station and had served 28 years with the brigade, having worked his way up from coal fireman. He had left the Brigade only three weeks ago, at the age of 62. The funeral took place yesterday at the Chinese Cemetery, Pokfulam. As the cortege passed the Wanchai and Central Fire Stations, the firemen paraded to pay their last respects to their late colleague.

By amendments in the traffic regulations, Lee Garden Street (otherwise known as Ewo Hill Street) ceases to be available as a stand or parking place for either public or private motor cars.

Unable to give a satisfactory explanation as to why he was walking about the streets with a pig-sticking knife in his pocket, a Chinese, who was charged before Mr. Wynne Jones on Saturday with possession of a weapon likely to be used for an unlawful purpose, was sentenced to three months' hard labour.

RANSOM ON MRS. PAWLEY AND CORKRAN INCREASED

BANDITS SEND FURTHER DEMAND TO DR. PHILLIPS

CONDITIONS OF RELEASE TAKE POLITICAL TURN

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

DAIREN, September 25.

THE bandits have despatched a second letter to Dr. Phillips somewhat illogical but reflecting intelligence.

"We feel sure you received our first letter but you failed to reply in a few days. Why such delay? We now lay the following additional demand: a hundred rifles and thirty thousand bullets; 120 revolvers and four hundred tons of bullets; a hundred rings, thirty gold watches, fifty yards, black satin; two heavy machine guns and 50,000 bullets; the latter two items from the Asiatic Petroleum Company.

"If we receive no reply within a week we will chop off the ears of Mrs. Pawley and Mr. Corkran and present them to you. If there is no reply within two weeks we will shoot them.

"We are never kind and are not merely threatening you, but will carry out our threat if the conditions are not complied with. "If England negotiates with Japan and the return of the three Eastern Provinces to Chang Hsueh Liang's North Eastern Volunteer Corps is completed within a week; then both captives will be released unconditionally."

The letter is signed by three bandits, namely, Hsish Un, Pei Pa Tien and Chu Cheng.

BANDITS' FIRST LETTER

The first letter sent to Dr. Phillips by the bandits is as follows:

"Since we seized Mrs. Pawley and took her to our headquarters we have treated her well because we want a little sum of money. We hope on receipt of this letter you will send us within seven days \$700,000, 200 pistols, 200,000 rounds of pistol ammunition, 30,000 rounds of rifle ammunition, 100 gold rings, 30 gold watches, and 30 gold wrist watches.

"These must be sent within seven days or Mrs. Pawley will be shot. If Japanese come after us your daughter also will be killed. "Will Dr. Phillips please keep this secret and send detailed lists of what he is sending for fear of losses on route. We do not want any Fengtien banknotes. "As to the A.P.C. gentleman Mr. Corkran, we do not include him in these terms. If the A.P.C. do not discuss matters he will suffer. If next week they do not come to discuss his affairs his ear will be sent to them.—Pei Tien Hsish Un, Chu Cheng."

RAIN HAMPERING EFFORTS TO SECURE RELEASE

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

NEWCHANG, Sept. 24.

Heavy rains are increasing the hardships of the captives in the hands of the bandits.

The rains are hampering the efforts to secure their release by delaying the return of the Consulate's intermediary from his negotiations with the bandits.

Another messenger left this morning to urge the bandits to send a competent agent to expedite the negotiations.

LEAGUE COUNCIL ACCEDES TO JAPAN'S REQUEST

Consideration Of Lytton Report Postponed To Nov. 14

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

GENEVA, Sept. 24.

AFTER overruling the Chinese objection that the Council was not competent to discuss the matter, the Council of the League, under the Chairmanship of Mr. de Valera, agreed to the Japanese request to postpone until November 14 the consideration of the Lytton Report, the publication of which is fixed for October 1.

Mr. de Valera expressed the Council's regret that the Japanese Government had prejudiced a settlement of the dispute by recognition.

signing and signing a treaty with Manchukuo without awaiting the publication of the Lytton Report. The Japanese delegate said he would not comment at present on Mr. de Valera's remarks.

TELEGRAPHIC BLOCKADE AGAINST MANCHURIA

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

THE Government has ordered a telegraphic blockade against Manchuria which is to be effective immediately.

SLAVERY REPORT TO LEAGUE

CONFLICTING EVIDENCE ON THE QUESTION OF MU-TSUI

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

GENEVA, Sept. 24.

SLAVERY on a serious scale still prevails in parts of Arabia and Abyssinia, and possibly in remote parts of Central China; but organized large-scale slave raiding, such as was common only thirty years ago in Africa, has completely disappeared as a result of the combined efforts of the European Powers.

These facts emerge from the League Report presented to the League Council. The Report says, however, that most Governments have only abolished the legal status of slavery, but have not immediately (Continued on next column.)

HAN-LIU DISPUTE SETTLED

BUT FORCES MAINTAIN THEIR POSITIONS

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

TELEGRAMS from Tsinan state that the Han-Liu dispute has been amicably settled, but the opposing forces are maintaining their positions pending a final settlement by the Central Government.

proceeded to compulsory manumission.

On the question of mu-tsuai, the Report finds the evidence conflicting. It suggests the establishment of a permanent advisory commission to discuss methods aimed at the total abolition or transformation of the existing forms of slavery.

VOLUNTEER FORCES ADVANCE ON HARBIN

JAPS. HASTILY ERECT DEFENCES

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

HARBIN, Sept. 24.

JAPANESE troops in Harbin are hastily erecting defences round Harbin, thickly clustered barbed-wired entanglements having been put up yesterday and this morning.

Particularly strong defensive positions have been constructed in and round Newtown which sudden military activity is accepted as confirming somewhat startling stories of the rapid advance of anti-Manchukuo forces against Harbin.

The Japanese military command declines to confirm by statement the reports in circulation, but Chinese sources have it that large anti-Manchukuo forces are now closing in upon Harbin and that a large-scale endeavour to capture the city is imminent.

Within Seven Miles.

It is stated that a large body of the "Volunteers" have already advanced to within seven miles of the north of Harbin.

The Russian newspapers contain details of further assaults with Harbin as their final objective to the south-west. The Manchukuo garrison at Shuangcheng-hsiang, near Shuangchengpu has been defeated in a heavy battle and the town occupied.

Shuangcheng Besieged.

Three thousand anti-Manchukuo troops have now surrounded and are attacking Shuangchengpu, which is expected to fall at any time now.

Shuangchengpu is an important centre on the Changchun-Harbin Railway, about fifty miles to the south of Harbin.

SUN FO PREDICTS WAR

JAPAN AND AMERICA

In the course of an interview with Chinese pressmen shortly before he left here for the North, Mr. Sun Fo, who has been very outspoken in his advocacy of a new regime, made a brief survey of the north-eastern situation in which he emphasized the following points:

1. Failure of the League of Nations to bring Japan to a reasonable settlement of the northeastern question must necessarily result in the invocation of the Nine-Power Pact; and if this also fails, the much-heralded American-Japanese war will be inevitable, and this conflict will in all probability be followed by a second Russo-Japanese War.

2. Since the conflict will take place on Chinese soil, China cannot stand outside the imbroglio. What China should do now is to mobilize her military resources, to get ready for all the eventualities.

3. Japan may gain the upper hand for the first two years but she will thereafter be crippled permanently, and her state will be worse than that of post-war Germany.

4. The situation will possibly develop into one of two possible phases, namely, (a) a war between America and Japan for the sake of upholding the Nine-Power Pact, with Great Britain maintaining neutrality and France siding with Japan as her new Far Eastern ally; or (b) the adoption of a stern united policy by Great Britain, the United States and France towards the northeastern situation, in which case the League Government's sanctions will be provided in articles XV and XVI, and will be rigidly enforced, and Japan will in all probability be reluctantly compelled to yield to the economic pressure of an indignant world.

In the event of hostilities, Mr. Sun believes that China in return for her heavy sacrifices will emerge a stronger power.

NEW IMPORT DUTIES.

DATE OF OPERATION.

London, Sept. 2.—It is officially announced to-day that the additional import duties and the import duties (drawback) particulars of which have just been published will come into force next Tuesday, September 6. The new duties are 30 per cent, instead of 20 per cent on leather, gloves, 30 per cent instead of 10 per cent on poultry, meat pasties and sausages, 20 per cent on printers' ink, varnished lacquers, and enamels (hitherto free) 25 per cent on wrapping paper, 20 per cent on scissors and hair combs, and 15 per cent on lined strawboard. The duty on sorrows is increased to 25 per cent.

GHASTLY RANGOON MURDER

CIVIL SERVANT HACKED TO DEATH

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

RANGOON, Sept. 25.

MR Joseph O'Hara, Assistant Conservator of Forests, was hacked to death by twenty-eight sword cuts by a gang connected with a recent case of theft of gum trees.

TERRORIST OUTBREAK IN CHITTAGONG

ONE EUROPEAN KILLED: 18 WOUNDED

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 25.

ONE European is reported killed and eighteen wounded during a terrorist outbreak when a body of Bengalis armed with revolvers surrounded and attacked a European institute at Baratali, Chittagong, last night.

The terrorists escaped, leaving behind the body of Bengali girl who was killed during the encounter. She has been identified as one of the terrorists who have been "wanted" since the last anti-European outbreak in Chittagong. She is a graduate of Dacca university.

In Hong Kong To-Day

FINE TO CLOUDY.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.55 P.M. (STANDARD TIME).

A WEAK ANTI-CYCLONE COVERS CENTRAL CHINA. PRESSURE IS RELATIVELY LOW OVER TONKING AND THE PACIFIC TO THE S.W. OF THE BOMBS.

LOCAL FORECAST:—S.E. ON VARIABLE WINDS, LIGHT TO MODERATE; FINE TO CLOUDY.

CAPT. VON GRONAU IN HONG KONG.

FAMOUS GERMAN WAR ACE FLYING AROUND WORLD.

Captain Wolfgang von Gronau arrived in the Colony yesterday afternoon.

A message received earlier in the day from the famous German war ace stated that he would be here at 3.30 in the afternoon, and, flying strictly to schedule, his giant Dornier Wal flying boat was sighted over Lyceumoon Pass at 3.30 to the minute.

In a few moments he was over Kai Tak aerodrome, and circling it once, he brought his machine roaring down to make a perfect landing on the placid waters of the bay immediately in front of the hangars, where it was eventually moored.

Report of Flights.

Three local flying machines escorted the big flying boat from about 15 miles up the coast. Mr. A. B. Harvey was in charge of the Cutty Sark, Mr. James Evans of the Avro-Cadet, and Mr. J. W. Fisher of the Arrow-Sports which greeted the intrepid flyer and his crew of three.

About 100 people gathered at the aerodrome to welcome the flier and when Capt. von Gronau stepped ashore from the official launch, three rousing cheers were given.

Captain von Gronau, who was met by the German Consul-General, Dr. Bruno Hahn, is about six feet tall, has fair hair and blue eyes, and sun-tanned features that testify to his physical fitness.

Wireless Message from Ship. In a Press interview, he said that the trip down from Shanghai was a pleasant one—a slight following breeze allowing him to make good time.

He left Shanghai at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning and when some considerable distance down the coast, received a wireless message from the German steamer Nordmark which had left Shanghai a (Continued on next column.)

BRITISH MACHINERY FOR JAPAN.

6 MONTHS CONSTRUCTION TASK ENDED.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

London, Sept. 4.—The largest multiple-spindle plane-milling machine in the world has just been built by Messrs. Kendall and Gent for the Japanese Navy and is to be conveyed by L.N.E.R. special train from Gorton (Manchester) to Birkenhead Docks for shipment to-morrow. The machine weighs 220 tons and has taken six months to construct. Although it is 60 feet long, 24 feet high and 26 feet wide, it is capable of the most delicate work. The machinery will be loaded in sections on to L.N.E.R. wagons, and as the largest section is 25 feet by 12 feet by 3 feet, special precautions will be taken in passing over other trains and bridges en route.

LONDON'S NEW 'BUS.

SINGLE DECKER WITH ENGINE UNDER SEATS.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

London, Sept. 5.—London has a "hush-hush" bus, with its engine under the seats instead of at the front. The "QI" will leave an L.G.O.C. garage to-morrow and work on route 11E, between Liverpool Street and Hammersmith. It has no bonnet and being a single decker appears to be an enormous length. In its experimental stage it will have accommodation for 35 passengers, three more than the present L.G.O.C. single deck buses. Full details of the construction of this bus are being kept secret until it has had a thorough trial on the streets. QI has a snub nosed front like an electric train. On the off-side are three panels near the front wheel; these conceal the engine. Under the front of the bus are two white-enamelled bars like a miniature cow catcher. There is an elaborate system of ventilation and engine cooling.

AGREEMENT REACHED IN NEGOTIATIONS

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

POONA, Sept. 25.

If Mr. MacDonald agrees to the called proposals, then Gandhi's fast will have done its work in abolishing separate electorates throughout India for the Depressed Classes at the expense, however, of a considerable number of seats otherwise occupied by caste Hindus. The agreement compromise is cutting both ways, but undoubtedly it will be given to the movement to lift up the Depressed Classes by reform work on the part of caste Hindus. Already many temples have opened and other facilities are offered. The question is whether the enthusiasm will remain permanent.

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Gandhi Smiles. POONA, Later. The formal agreement regarding the depressed classes is now being typed, and will be signed in the presence of Gandhi at Yeroda Gaoth by representatives of the caste Hindus and the depressed classes.

Meanwhile the leaders of the two sections are drafting a cable to the Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, announcing the agreement and requesting him to withdraw the part of the communal decision relating to the depressed classes and thus enable Gandhi to break his fast immediately.

Gandhi is lying prostrate on his cot and, when the points of the agreement were communicated to him, he raised himself on his elbows and signified assent with a smile.

Gandhi Growing Weaker. POONA, Sept. 23. The impression which had grown that the conclusion of an electoral agreement between the Caste Hindus and the Depressed Classes had reached the stage of mere formality has proved startlingly incorrect.

A definite lurch has developed and the negotiations have not yielded the expected agreement, nor any important progress. The leaders of the parties to the negotiations announce that they are unable to begin drafting.

Meanwhile, Gandhi's fast continues. His voice is becoming weaker and he is suffering from nausea and giddiness, finding it difficult to keep his eyes open. At the time of calling, he has preserved the fast for 23 hours.

Civil Obedience. (BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.) ROYAL, Sept. 23.

Although there has recently been a slight deterioration in the Indian civil disobedience situation, in Bengal and the United Provinces, a general improvement occurred during August and the total number of convictions, 3,046 including 73 women, was considerably less than in July.

Convictions since the beginning of the movement on January 4 have totalled 58,774 and the number undergoing imprisonment at the end of August was 21,422, including 943 women, a decline of 3,210 on the previous month.

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It is stated that the sub-committee will continue its discussions until late at night, if necessary, in the hope of reaching an agreement and so "clearing the slate."

A general resumption of work on Monday next is, however, considered most unlikely. It is probable that the employers will expect to call a meeting on Tuesday in order to ratify the agreement reached with the operatives by their representatives.

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Afterwards, Black Navigator and was officer with the Commonwealth Fleet, American and West India Station.

PRINCE TO VISIT IRELAND

AND OPEN NEW PARLIAMENT HOUSE

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

ROSBY, Sept. 24.

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales has accepted the invitation of the Governor of Northern Ireland to visit Northern Ireland during November and to open, on behalf of H.M. the King, the new Parliament Buildings at Stormont.

When the Northern Ireland Parliament, established under the Government of Ireland Act in 1920, the British Parliament undertook to provide a Parliament House and courts of Justice. Hitherto the Northern Parliament has met in Belfast as a temporary Parliament House.

The new building, which the Prince will open, will accommodate not only the Commons and Senate, but seven hundred officials of Government Departments.

It will be the Prince's first visit to Ireland.

OBJECTION TO CHAMPAGNE BAY.

TO BE CONSIDERED TO DAY.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

We have been informed officially that there is an objection to Champagne Bay, the winner of the last race on Saturday—the Junk Bay Handicap.

The objection is to be considered by the Stewards to-day, and the result will be announced in due course.

COTTON DISPUTE PRACTICALLY SETTLED

MILLS MAY BE RE-OPENED ON SEPT. 28

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

MANCHESTER, Sept. 25. All difficulties in the cotton dispute have now been removed and terms of the settlement will be submitted to full bodies of employers and operatives, probably on Sept. 27. It is expected that if the agreement is ratified by both, as is practically certain, work could re-start on Sept. 28.

Better News. LONDON, Sept. 23. Better news comes from Manchester where negotiations for the termination of the weaver's strike in the Lancashire cotton industry have been resumed.

There is every hope now that a complete agreement will shortly be reached, the employers having modified their wage reduction demands.

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technicians during the filming of
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story, "Tarzan, the Ape Man,"
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sound," asserted W. S. Van Dyke,
director of the production who was
caught on the set as he was adjust-
ing controls for a big scene in
which a herd of elephants charge
through a pygmy village demolish-
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include the very heavy bass
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his enjoyment of the water; the
short, sharp barking sound made
by the zebra when he runs through
the jungle; the mooring call of a
horned gnu to its mate; the in-
tense chatter of monkeys and
baboons and the blood-curdling
laugh of a hyena. The only animal
we have not used is the giraffe which
does not have a call owing to a lack
of vocal chords.In this scene my problem will
be to record the bugle-like trumpet-
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shine in the reflected fame of his
father.As soon as I am introduced to
any one they say "Oh, yes, you
are Owen's boy Owen," says young
Davis. "I'm too proud of the
fact that I bear my father's name
to change it, but I want to succeed
by myself. I've set a goal for my-
self and that is to top my dad.
I may never be able to do it, but
I'm something to shoot at."In "All Quiet on the Western
Front," Davis has the role of
"Peter," one of Remarque's seven
schoolboy soldiers. Davis appeared
in New York in "Carry On" and
"To-night At Twelve," which was
produced by Universal as a talk-
ing picture. His first stage ap-
pearance was in "The Barker."
In pictures his most important role
prior to "All Quiet" was the juve-
nile in "They Had To See Paris."

"DEVIL'S LOTTERY."

CLEVER "MONEY DRAMA"
AT THE KING'S THEATRE."Devil's Lottery," now at the
King's Theatre, is supposed to show
that big money obtained in the
great sweepstakes does not bring
much luck—in fact it carries a
curse. "Devil's Lottery" is an
extremely good film but it doesn't
really point the lesson in question.
It is a lady, not the money, that
spreads havoc.A newspaper peer, who wins
heavily on the Derby, invites to his
castle in Devonshire the six win-
ners of the Calcutta Sweep. There
is a bullying prize-fighter—but
actually his miserly old mother is
the winner and she holds her money
like a clam; a weak but good-nat-
ured American lad and his fiancée;
a war cripple, and a really lovely
adventurer. It is, one must em-
phasize, not so much the money as
the adventures—who cause the
trouble. First the unspeakably vile
creature who passes as her husband
turns up, but before then she has
already caused a good deal of trou-
ble by using her amazing allure to
take the young American from his
fiancée. It is not that she is really
bad, but men "fall for her," and
her "husband" exploits their in-
discretions for blackmail purposes;
she hates it, but still, she does it
and she has gone some way down
the hill.Poor Lord Lichfield's experiment-
al party! There is a horrible "ac-
cidental death," and a murder.
His week-end is most disturbing.The acting of the film is admir-
able. "Eliana Landi" has at last a
part to some degree adequate to
her astonishing power. She is a
beautiful woman, but of a curious
style, for she is the perfecting of a
type usually p'uin. There are so
many girls like her, but so far
short! Her acting is quiet and
subtle and she portrays with a de-
licacy of technique rare in the some-
what crude methods of the films,
how hardly Evelyn Benceford is
used, but is not so blameless as she
makes out. How can she be?Victor McLugan has again a
roistering part, but a mighty pathetic
one. He is fine actor—only a
man of rare intelligence and educa-
tion could play so admirably the
bulky prize-fighter, not a bad sort
at heart, but spoiled by power and
flattery, and on top of that the
prospect of money turns his head.
Beryl Mercer, the old mother gives
one of those character parts that
some of the older style of American
actresses play to perfection. She is
a hard old piece of goods, true to
life and amusing—to see from the
distance.The settings avoid the usual
Hollywood gaffe when an attempt
is made to carry the action to
England. "Devil's Lottery" is
excellent drama, not highbrow, but
well sustained by characters true to
life and behaving consistently in
their surroundings. The Derby
scene, with faces distorted by money
lust, is unpleasant, and if not
wholly true, is a sharp satire on
human nature.

R.B.

"SPLINTERS" IN THE NAVY

MUSICAL HIT BOOKED FOR
QUEEN'S.A trade notice states:—
Wilfred Temple, whose lovely
tenor voice will be heard to great
advantage in "Splinters in the
Navy," will be remembered by
movie fans as the singer of two
rousing songs in the original
"Splinters" film and by theatre-
goers as the handsome hero of that
successful Edgar Wallace show,
"The Yellow Mask."In "Splinters in the Navy," com-
ing shortly to the Queen's Temple
has a number entitled "Call of the
Sea," which it is predicted will be
one of the big songs hits of the
coming year. Equally effective as
a ballad or a fox-trot, the charm of
this melody is quite irresistible.

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Hard as ice!She is so light...
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sistant! Flesh and
dream! But can HE
soften her heart
for Love? That's
where she's hard...
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THEATRE

SHOWING TO-DAY

At 2.30, 5.15, 7.15 & 9.30 p.m.

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Production
Directed by
LEWIS MILESTONEALL QUIET
ON THE
WESTERN
FRONTNEXT CHANGE
A UNIVERSAL PICTURE
"A HOUSE DIVIDED"WALTER HUSTON
KENT DOUGLASS
HELEN CHANDLERTO-DAY AT THE
CINEMA.

HONG KONG.

Queen's.
"Tarzan the Ape Man."
King's.
"Devil's Lottery."
Central.
"All Quiet on the Western
Front."
Oriental.
"Around the World in 80
Minutes."

KOWLOON.

Star.
"Oh Sailor Behave!"

COMING.

King's.
"Sinners in the Sun."
"Merrily We go to Hell."
Queen's.
"Splinters in the Navy."
Central.
"Midnight Daddies."
"Cock of the Air."
"Fast Companions."
"Night Work."
Oriental.
"A House Divided."Star.
"White Shadows in the
South Seas.""SINNERS IN THE
SUN."HOW A "STAR'S" DRESS IS
MADE.A trade notice states:—
There are ten steps in the crea-
tion of every costume that appears
on the screen, it was revealed re-
cently in an interview granted by
Travis Banton, studio gown de-
signer.Take as an example, the satin and
sequin evening ensemble in which
Carole Lombard appears in one of
the scenes of Paramount's "Sin-
ners in the Sun," which will be
shown at the King's Theatre Thurs-
day next.This gown was created by Banton
especially for the scene in which
it is worn by Miss Lombard and
the interviewer induced Designer
Banton to outline the elaborate and
circumstantial details in the creation
of this particular gown as an illus-
tration of the care taken by Para-
mount to have the gowns worn by
their stars correct in every detail.

The ten steps are as follows:

1. Banton receives the final
script on "Sinners in the Sun."
He reads carefully and compiles a
list of the number and type of
costumes required by the script.2. He holds a conference with
Miss Lombard, the director, and
the cameraman as to the type of
costumes they prefer. Special at-
tention is given to the outfit to be
worn in the climatic scenes of the
picture.3. A sketch in water colours of
the most important costume is made
by Banton. Complete details of
colours, lines and accents are shown
in this sketch.4. The sketch is submitted to the
director and Miss Lombard for a
final ok.5. After the ok is received,
Banton instructs the studio shopper
to purchase ten yards of pearl-
white satin, six yards of black satin
and twenty yards of massed silver
sequins.6. When material is delivered,
Banton holds a conference with the
head fitter, who supervises all the
seamstress work on the costume.7. Next day, Miss Lombard ar-
rives for the first fitting. The
gown of white satin and scarf of
sequins is basted and pinned care-
fully to the lines of her figure. The
wrap of sequins, lined with black
satin, is fitted for length and
drapery. Banton closely supervises
all fittings.8. Another conference is held
with fitter if any small changes
have been decided upon during the
first fitting.9. The second and final fitting
is held the following day.10. The gown is worn by Miss
Lombard on the set, where the
cameraman takes a careful look at
it under the various lights to as-
certain the best illumination and
angles.

SHOWING TO-DAY

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WITH ALMA BENNETT, ANDY CLYDE, HARRY GRIBBONS &
A BIG CAST OF WELL-KNOWN COMICS & BEAUTIES THE
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ING OF FUN, DON'T MISS THIS ONE.

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NIGHT WORK

with SALLY STARR, FRANCES UPTON, LORA LANE

GOSSIP
&
FACT.

Ann Harding's Divorce.

Many people must have wonder-
ed what are the feelings of a man
of character and intelligence when
his wife becomes a world-famous
figure. In the opinion of a tall
and handsome American actor who
is now in London these feelings are
such that marriage becomes an im-
possibility, at any rate in Holly-
wood. Five-and-a-half years ago
an actor in New York named Harry
Bannister married a pretty blonde
named Ann Harding. Their mar-
riage was idyllic. Miss Harding
became a famous film-star. At
Hollywood she and her husband
were regarded as having achieved
"the perfect marriage." Three
months ago they were divorced "to
preserve their love."He said: "As my wife became
a more and more important star,
so did my position become more
and more difficult. I became
just 'Ann Harding's husband.'
I still love my wife very much. She
is a very fine woman, for whom I
have the most intense admiration.
We are both devoted to our little
daughter, Jane, who spent a month
with me in New York before I sail-
ed. I shall never marry anotherwoman—though I will not deny the
possibility of marrying Miss Har-
ding again. Life takes many a
strange turn."

Hollywood Romance.

Mr. Donald Crisp, the well-known
English film actor and director
has married Miss Jane Murlin, an
American scenario writer, at Ven-
tura, California.

German Films for China.

The German film industry has won
an important success in the Far
East and the Philippines, where
hitherto the American producers
have had the field largely to them-
selves.The Universum Film Company
has entered into a contract with
International Films (China), Ltd.,
Shanghai, under which the entire
Ufa production of the last and
coming seasons has been taken over
by the International Films (China),
Ltd., for China, Hong Kong, Man-
churia, and the Philippines. The
majority of the films are to be
released in the original German,
with English subtitles. The entire
Ufa-Gaumont English-speaking pro-
ductions will also be distributed by
the Shanghai firm.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST
PORTS AND JAPAN.

Anson.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 26.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Tainan, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Hai Yang, Douglas, Oct. 4.
Taiyuan, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Taima, B.I.S.N., Oct. 8.
Kutauang, Jardine's, Oct. 18.
Santia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.

Chesoo.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Daily.
Aeneas, B. & S., Oct. 18.
Chinhua, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 12.

Footsow.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Hai Yang, Douglas, Oct. 4.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Hankow.
Automedon, B. & S., Sept. 27.

Japan Ports.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 26.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Rheinland, Jepsen, Sept. 28.
Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.

Idomenus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Nellere, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 2.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Oct. 4.

Snale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Africa, Manners, Oct. 5.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Nellere, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 6.

Taima, B.I.S.N., Oct. 6.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.

Rajputana, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Elpenor, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Diomed, B. & S., Oct. 7.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.
Norviken, Jardine's, Oct. 8.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Kulmerland, Jepsen, Oct. 12.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Kutauang, Jardine's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.

Santia, B.I.S.N., Oct. 21.
Corfu, P. & O., Oct. 21.
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.

Nanking, Gilman, Oct. 24.
Leyceon, B. & S., Oct. 25.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Deucalion, B. & S., Oct. 26.
Bhutan, P. & O., Oct. 30.
Annam, Manners, Oct. 31.

City of Derby, Bank, Oct. 31.
City of Singapore, Bank, Oct. 31.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 2.

Protestant, B. & S., Nov. 3.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 4.
Achilles, B. & S., Nov. 8.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 18.
Taima, Gilman, Nov. 21.
Ixion, B. & S., Nov. 22.

Danmark, Manners, Nov. 26.
Chinhua, B. & S., Oct. 6.

Shanghai.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 26.
Automedon, B. & S., Sept. 27.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 27.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.

Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Kwaisang Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Rheinland, Jepsen, Sept. 28.

Terukuni Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Tainan, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 29.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Sept. 30.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.
Idomenus, B. & S., Oct. 1.

Nellere, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 2.

Sandvikon, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Bangalore, P. & O., Oct. 4.
Snale, Melchers, Oct. 4.

Sinking, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Africa, Manners, Oct. 5.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.

Nellere, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 7.
Rajputana, P. & O., Oct. 7.

Swallow.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 26.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Sept. 27.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.

Kwaisang Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Kanchow, B. & S., Sept. 29.
Hai Ning, Douglas, Sept. 30.

Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Kwaisang, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Sandvikon, Jardine's, Oct. 2.

Shantung, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Hai Yang, Douglas, Oct. 4.
Sinking, B. & S., Oct. 4.

Hopsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Kingsyuan, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Norviken, Jardine's, Oct. 8.

Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 26.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.

Aeneas, B. & S., Oct. 18.
Sarpedon, B. & S., Nov. 12.
Agamemnon, B. & S., Nov. 26.

Tientsin.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 26.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.

Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.
Yatsing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.

Tsingtao.
Coblentz, Melchers, Sept. 26.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 27.

Hopsang, Jardine's, Sept. 30.
Sandvikon, Jardine's, Oct. 2.
Saale, Melchers, Oct. 4.

Sinking, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Norviken, Jardine's, Oct. 8.

Eumaeus, B. & S., Nov. 20.

EASTWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND
AMERICA.

Baltimore.
Adrastrus, B. & S., Oct. 1.

Lossiebank, Bank, Oct. 11.
Boston and New York.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.

Adrastrus, B. & S., Oct. 1.
Lossiebank, Bank, Oct. 11.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.

Honolulu.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.

Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Oct. 21.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 2.

Los Angeles.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.

Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.

Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 2.

Portland.
Jutlandia, Manners, Oct. 8.

San Francisco.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar, Sept. 27.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Jutlandia, Manners, Oct. 8.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar, Oct. 11.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 25.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 2.

Seattle.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, Oct. 1.

Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Jutlandia, Manners, Oct. 8.

Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Oct. 15.
Protestant, B. & S., Nov. 3.

South America (West Coast).
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 18.

Vancover, B.C.
Tyndareus, B. & S., Oct. 6.

Zetavia.
Tijlboet, J.C.J.L., Sept. 27.

Adrastrus, B. & S., Oct. 10.

Rapahong.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 30.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.

Malabar.
Anshun, B. & S., Sept. 26.

Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 30.
Kweiying, B. & S., Oct. 1.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Tijlboet, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.

Manila.
Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.

Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 14.

Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar, Oct. 18.

Change, B. & S., Oct. 21.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 23.
Automedon, B. & S., Oct. 27.

Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 30.

Nellere, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 7.

Empress of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 11.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.

Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Nov. 13.
Cylops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Tai Ping, B. & S., Nov. 14.
Empress of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 24.

Kilano Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 23.
Nanking, Gilman, Nov. 30.

Malabar Coast.
Rhexenor, B. & S., Nov. 11.

New Guinea.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Sept. 27.

Pakhoi.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Sept. 30.

Kiungchow, B. & S., Oct. 7.

Rapahong.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Sept. 27.

Nankin, E. & A. S. N., Oct. 1.
Nellere, E. & A. S. N., Nov. 2.

Saigon.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

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D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 23.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 5.

Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Sandakan.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Sept. 28.

Sourabaya.
Tijlboet, J.C.J.L., Oct. 4.

WESTWARD.
FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE,
AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.

Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Ajax, B. & S., Oct. 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.

Naldora, P. & O., Oct. 22.
Hector, B. & S., Oct. 23.

Bremen.
Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 12.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Brindisi.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.

Calcutta.
Nordmark, Jepsen, Sept. 28.

Yuenang, Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.

Sirchana B.I.S.N., Oct. 30.
Hosang, Jardine's, Oct. 30.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N. Co., Oct. 14.

Taima, B.I.S.N. Co., Oct. 27.

Cassablanca.
Nordmark, Jepsen, Sept. 28.

Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Isar, Melchers, Oct. 12.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Colombo.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.

Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.

Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.

Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.

Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.
Africa, Manners, Nov. 1.

Copenhagen.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.

Dutch Mandria.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.

Djibouti.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Oct. 23.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 5.

G. Metzinger, Messageries, Nov. 22.

Dunkirk.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.

Afrika, Manners, Nov. 1.
Yalou, Messageries, Nov. 10.

Genoa.
Nordmark, Jepsen, Sept. 28.

Pyrrhus, B. & S., Sept. 27.
Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.

Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.

Burgeland, Jepsen, Oct. 14.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

Pres. Polk, Dollar, Oct. 16.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Nagara, Gilman's, Oct. 30.
Cylops, B. & S., Nov. 14.

Yalou.
Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 12.
Coblentz, Melchers, Oct. 22.

Brindisi.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, Oct. 30.

Calcutta.
Nordmark, Jepsen, Sept. 28.

Yuenang, Jardine's, Sept. 28.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.

Sirchana B.I.S.N., Oct. 30.
Hosang, Jardine's, Oct. 30.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 11.
Tilawa, B.I.S.N. Co., Oct. 14.

Taima, B.I.S.N. Co., Oct. 27.

Cassablanca.
Nordmark, Jepsen, Sept. 28.

Calchas, B. & S., Oct. 5.
Isar, Melchers, Oct. 12.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.

Colombo.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 27.

Antenor, B. & S., Sept. 28.
Saabruecken, Melchers, Sept. 28.

Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 29.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 1.

Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Oct. 2.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.

Carthage, P. & O., Oct. 8.
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 8.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, Oct. 9.
D'Atagnan, Messageries, Oct. 11.

Isar, Melchers, Oct. 12.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.

Somali, P. & O., Oct. 15.
Philoctetes, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 12.
Corfu, P. & O., Nov. 19.

Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.
Africa, Manners, Nov. 1.

Copenhagen.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 7.

Dutch Mandria.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 5.

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SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KANOROW"	On 29th Sept., Noon
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KWANGTUNG"	On 30th Sept., Noon
HONGKONG & BANGKOK	"KWIYANG"	On 1st Oct., Noon
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"ANHUI"	On 2nd Oct., 8 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 2nd Oct., Noon
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGHONG"	On 2nd Oct., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 4th Oct., Noon
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 5th Oct., 5 p.m.
NEWCHANG & DALRY	"CHINHUA"	On 6th Oct., 5 p.m.
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SEPTEMBER 24, 1932.											
STATION	Barometer at Sea Level	Thermometer	Wind	Direction	Force	Clouds	Humidity	State of Sky	Direction	Force	Time
Wladivostok	30.16	76.0	SSE	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Namuro	30.16	76.0	E	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Hakodate	30.16	76.0	N	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Tokio	30.16	76.0	SE	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Kobe	30.16	76.0	WSW	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Nagasaki	30.16	76.0	SSE	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Kagoshima	30.16	76.0	NNE	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Oshima	30.16	76.0	NNE	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Naha	30.16	76.0	E	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Ishigakijima	30.16	76.0	S	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Bonin Island	30.16	76.0	SW	6	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Chefoo	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Shanghai	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Gutai	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Wenchow	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Fochow	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Amoy	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Swatow	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Taihekou	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Taihu	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Tainan	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Koshun	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Pescadore	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Hong Kong	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Gap Rock	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Macao	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Hoihow	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Pratas Island	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Phulien	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Tourane	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Cape St. James	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Baco	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Apurri	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Tuguegarao	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Vigan	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Manila	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Legaspi	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Calbayog	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Tacloban	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Iloilo	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Cebu	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Surigao	30.16	76.0	E	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	6
Saipan	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guam	12.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yap	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pelew	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Labuan	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

September 25d. 10h. 35m.—Pressure is highest to the N.E. of Hokkaido. A weak anticyclone covers central China. Pressure is relatively low over the Pacific to the S.W. of the Bonin Islands. Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.10 inch. Total since January 1, 86.83 inches, against an average of 74.29 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON SEPTEMBER 26.

District	Forecast
A.—Shanghai to Turnabout	N.E. winds, light to moderate.
B.—Turnabout to Hong Kong	S.E. or variable winds, light to moderate; fair generally, some local showers.
C.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock	Variable winds, light to moderate.
D.—Hong Kong to Hainan Straits	Variable winds, light to moderate.
E.—North China Sea	Variable winds, light to moderate.

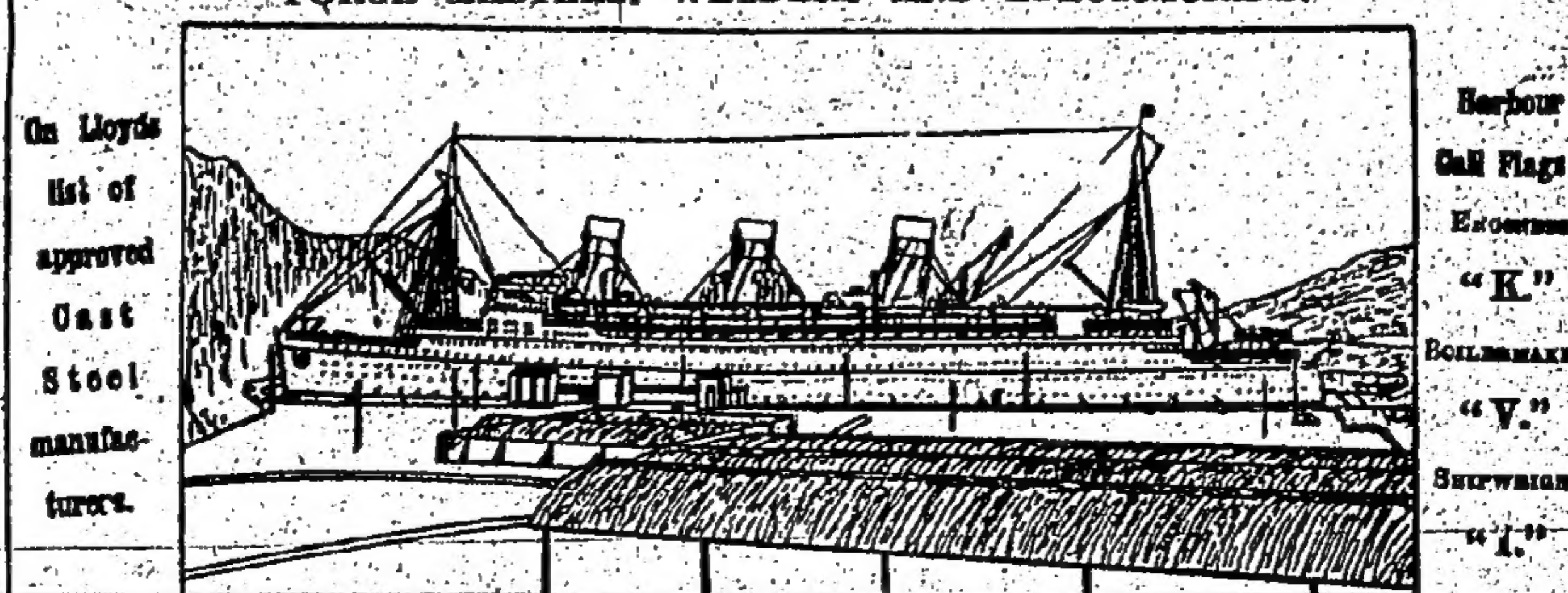
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SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"YUENSANG" "HOSANG"	Wed., 28th Sept., at 4 p.m. Sat., 2nd Oct., at 3 p.m.
OSAKA via AMOI & KOBE	"SUISANG"	Sun., 2nd Oct., at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOI, SHAI & KOBE	"KUTSANG"	Tues., 18th Oct., at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN	"HINSANG" "YUSANG"	Wed., 28th Sept., at 10 a.m. Wed., 5th Oct., at 10 a.m.
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